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GERMANS ABANDON DEFENCE POSITIONS

FRENCH REPORTS ON SEVEN DAYS' BATTLE

Army Movements of Britain and France September Fourth to Tenth

GERMANS TRIED FLANK MOVE IGNORING BRITISH

Monday Was Day on Which General Advance of Allies Commenced

London, Sept. 14.—The official press bureau issued the following statement this afternoon: "The following report is compiled from information sent from the headquarters of Field Marshal Sir John French under date of September 11. A summary of the operations of the British army in France was published by the war office on the 6th instant and an account, stated to be incomplete, of further operations was issued from the bureau on Saturday night, the 12th instant. To-day it is possible to give more complete reports of the movements of British forces and of the French armies in immediate touch with it. This account is compiled from data received from the front and carries the operations from the 4th to the 10th of September, both days inclusive:

"It will be remembered that the general position of our troops on Sunday, September 6 was stated to be south of the river Marne, with the French forces in line on our right and left.

"Practically there had been no change since Saturday, September 3, which marked the end of our army's long retirement from the Belgian frontier through Northern France.

"On Friday, September 4, it became apparent that there was an alteration in the advance of almost the whole of the first German army. That army since the battle near Mons on the 23rd of August had been playing its part in a colossal strategic endeavor to create a Sedan for the allies by outflanking and enveloping the left of their whole line so as to encircle and drive both the British and French to the south.

"There was now a change in its objective and it was observed that the German forces opposite the British were beginning to move in a southeasterly direction instead of continuing southwest on to the capital, leaving a strong rear guard along the line of the river Ourcq (which flows south of and joins the Marne at Lizy sur Ourcq) to keep off the French, the army which by then had been formed and was to the northwest of Paris. They were evidently executing what amounted to a flank march diagonally across our front.

"Prepared to ignore the British as being driven out of the fight, they were initiating an effort to attack the left flank of the main French army, which stretched in a long curved line from our right toward the east, and so to carry out against it alone an envelopment which so far had failed against the combined forces of the allies.

"On Saturday, the 5th, this movement on the part of the Germans was continued and large advance parties crossed the Marne southward at Trilport, Sammeron, LaFerte Sous Jouarre and Chateau Theirry. There was considerable fighting with the French fifth army on the French left, which fell back from its position south of the Marne toward the Seine.

"On Sunday large hostile forces crossed the Marne and pushed on through Coulommiers and past the British right further to the east. They were attacked at night by the French fifth army, which captured three villages at the point of the bayonet.

"Monday, September 7, there was a general advance on the part of the allies. In this quarter of the field our forces, which had now been reinforced, pushed on in a northeasterly direction in co-operation with the advance of the French fifth army to the north and French sixth army to the eastward against the German rear guarding the river Ourcq.

"Possibly weakened by the detachment of troops to the east of the operations and realizing that the action of the French sixth army against the line of the Ourcq and the advance of the British placed their western flanking movement in considerable danger of being taken in the rear flank, the Germans on this day commenced to retire toward the northeast.

"This was the first sign that these troops had turned back since their attack at Mons a fortnight ago, and, from reports received, the order to retreat when so close to Paris was a bitter disappointment. From letters found on dead soldiers there is no doubt there was a general impression among the enemy's troops that they were about to enter Paris.

"On Tuesday, September 8 the German movement northeastward was

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ELEVEN SURVIVORS OF KARLUK TAKEN TO NOME

AMONG THE MISSING

On the left, ALEXANDER ANDERSON, who joined the Stefansson expedition as second officer of the whaling schooner Karluk. To right DR. ALLISTER FORBES M'KAY, Edinburgh, Scotland, who was surgeon of the expedition.

Three Known to Be Dead and Nine Missing of Stefansson Expedition

Nome, Alaska, Sept. 13.—The United States revenue cutter Bear arrived here with eleven survivors of the crew of the Stefansson exploration ship Karluk, who were rescued from Wrangel island by the gasoline schooner King and Winge and transferred to the Bear. The survivors are:

William Laird McKinley, magnetician of Clydebank, Scotland; John Munros, chief engineer; Bert Williamson, second engineer; Robert Templeman, steward; Ernest Chase, assistant steward; Fred W. Maurer, fireman; Seaman Hadley, Eskimo man, wife and two children.

George Stewart Malloch, geologist, of Hamilton, Ont., and George Bretty, a fireman, died of scurvy on the island and were buried there. Bjarne Mamen, assistant topographer and geologist of Christiania, accidentally shot and killed himself with his gun. He was buried on the island.

Nine members of the expedition are missing and are given up as dead. They are: Alexander Anderson, first mate; Charles Barter, second mate; John Brady, seaman; H. King, seaman; these five men left the wreck of the Karluk, 80 miles from Wrangel island and were never seen again.

Alister Forbes McKay, surgeon of Edinburgh, Scotland; James Murray, oceanographer of Foxfield, Hants, England; Henri Beuchat, anthropologist of Paris, and Thomas Morris, seaman; these four also left the wreck of the Karluk, but never reached Wrangel island, and must have perished.

The King and Winge, after leaving Nome September 3, went to East Cape, Siberia, to take on Eskimos and skin boats. She then laid her course for Roger's harbor, Wrangel island, arriving there about 10.30 o'clock on the night of September 6. She sent up skyrockets, but received no response, the castaways on shore having retired at 10. The next morning they were overjoyed to hear the whistle of the schooner. Four Eskimos in a skin boat found a lead through the ice, reached shore and brought back a number of men who had been in camp near shore. The schooner then proceeded to the other side of the island, where they picked up the remaining survivors, who were in another camp.

The King and Winge started for Nome with the rescued people, and had gone 75 miles when she met the revenue cutter Bear, bound for Wrangel island. The King and Winge reported that she had beaten the Bear. After a brief conference it was agreed by Capt. Olaf Swenson, of the schooner, of Capt. Cochran, of the cutter, that the accommodation on the Bear was better for men in need of medical care, and the survivors were transferred and brought here.

With them were brought also a black and white cat picked up by the Karluk's crew at Victoria, B. C., last year, and which they had kept with them throughout all the hardships.

The Bear tried to get in tune with the former revenue cutter Corwin, which was fitted out by Jafet Lindberg as a rescue ship, to tell the Corwin of the rescue. The Bear could hear the Corwin, but was unable to send a message, so the Corwin at last accounts was off Wrangel Island, thinking the Karluk's crew were still ashore.

Counting the eight men who perished on the ice while trying to reach land after the Karluk was crushed, the three who died on Wrangel Island and Andrew Norman, of the Anderson party, who committed suicide by shooting while insane from exposure while lost, twelve members of the Stefansson expedition have died.

Malloch and Bretty, who died of scurvy, and Mamen, who accidentally shot himself, were buried on Wrangel Island with solemn ceremonies by their comrades, and the graves were marked with driftwood, on which the names of the dead were carved.

After the accident to the Karluk last January, when the ship was crushed by the ice north of Herald Island, the Karluk's people remained in camp on the ice until they had agreed that the best course was to make for Wrangel Island, 80 miles distant. They divided into parties and set off for the destination agreed upon. The party led by Dr. Forbes Mackay changed its mind and headed for the Siberian shore. It repented and was seen to lay its course again for Wrangel Island. Four days later, in the third week of February, a terrible blizzard raged, which opened the ice in all directions and churned it. There was really no hope that any of the eight could have escaped the storm, but to ease their minds the survivors on Wrangel Island made journeys in all directions, even to Herald Island, in the vain hope of finding some trace of the eight lost men, who must have been swallowed up. No one could possibly live on Herald Island, which has perpendicular sides and is bare of vegetation. The Bear last summer approached within twelve miles of Herald Island on a fair day and could see nothing but ice around it, with no sign of life anywhere.

When the castaways landed on Wrangel Island on March 12, they had seventy-nine days' rations, which were exhausted about June 4. After that time they subsisted on whatever food they were able to gather with their hands and kill with their guns. They killed three polar bears and many seals and birds. They were without salt for the meat and could not get salt water until spring, as the icebergs shut them off from the sea. The survivors made stoves from coal oil cans and built boats from driftwood and covered them with the skins of walrus and seal.

None of the eleven persons brought here by the Bear are seriously ill, though several are suffering from stomach trouble and minor ailments. Captain Robert F. Bartlett, who commanded the Karluk when she was wrecked and who was on the Bear in her two rescue attempts, is looking after the survivors.

BATTLES LAST WEEK SCATTERED GERMANS

Magdeburg Regiment Beaten on the Ourcq by Allies' Work With Bayonets

RESISTANCE ENDED ON MORNING OF THURSDAY

British Soldiers Had Large Part in Wholesale Defeat of Kaiser's Great Army

London, Sept. 14.—A Times correspondent, who wires from five miles south of Provins, in the department of Sey et Marne, says: "Monday saw a tremendous encounter on the Ourcq. In one village, which the Germans hurriedly vacated, the French in a large house found a dinner table beautifully set with candles still burning on the table, where evidently the German staff had been dining. A woman occupant said they fled precipitately.

"There was a great deal of hand-to-hand fighting and bayonet work on the Ourcq, which resulted in the Madgeburg regiment beating a retreat.

"On Monday night General von Kluck's army had been thrown back from the Marne and from the Morine into the region of Sezanne and his position was serious. Immediate steps were necessary to save his line of communications and retreat. To this end reinforcements were hurried north to the Meaux direct and to Ourcq, and tremendous efforts made to break up the French resistance in this quarter.

"The second attempt on the Ourcq shared the fate of the first. Throughout all Wednesday night and well on into Thursday the Great German guns boomed along this river, but the resistance of the allies could not be broken. While the Ourcq battle was being fought the struggle of Sezanne was bearing fruit. The German resistance on this (Thursday) morning was broken.

"The wounded men were no longer downhearted, but eager to rejoin the fray. On every French lip was the exclamation: 'They are in full retreat. They are rushing back home,' and in the same breath came generous recognition of the great help by the British army.

"I am convinced that the full extent of this rout is not yet appreciated in Britain. It was of a truly terrific character and such a blow will not fail to have a lasting effect.

"The number wounded made colossal transportation work. I counted fifteen trains in eight hours, a fine, grim set of men, terribly weary, but all amiable except the officers.

"The enemy crossed the Marne on the return journey north under great difficulties and beneath a withering fire from the British troops, who pursued them hotly. The German artillery operated from a height; there was again much hand-to-hand fighting and the river was swollen with dead.

"On Thursday night the British were in possession of LaFerte Sous Jouarec and Chateau Thierry, and the Germans had fallen back forty miles, leaving a long train of spoils behind them.

"On the same day, in the neighborhood of Vitry-le-Francois, the French troops achieved a splendid victory. Incidentally they drove back the famous Imperial Guard of Germany from Sezanne toward the swamps of Saint Gond, where a century ago Napoleon achieved one of his last successes. The main body of the guard passed to the north of the swamps, but I heard of men and horses engulfed and destroyed.

"'It is our revenge for 1814,' the French officers said, 'if only the emperor were here to see.'

"On Wednesday the British army continued the pursuit towards the north, taking guns and prisoners.

"On that day I found myself in a new France. The good news had spread. Girls threw flowers at the passing soldiers and joy was manifest everywhere.

"The incidents of Wednesday will astound the world when made known in full. I know that two German detachments of 1,000 men each which were surrounded and cornered, but which refused to surrender, were wiped out almost to the last man. The keynote of these operations was the tremendous attack of the allies along the Ourcq on Tuesday, which showed the German commander that his lines were threatened. Then came the crowning stroke.

"The army of the Ourcq and Meaux and the army of Sezanne drew together like the blades of a pair of shears, the pivot of which was in the region of the Grand Morine. The German retreat was thus forced toward the east, and it speedily became a rout.

"I repeat that Britain scarcely realizes what has been achieved alike in breaking up the enemy and in heartening our troops. The tactics of Mons and Charleroi are completely justified."

RUSSIANS HELP IN BREAKING GERMAN ARMY IN BELGIUM

London, Sept. 14.—In a dispatch from Ghent the correspondent of the Daily News says that after two days of investigation he has confirmed the statement that Russian troops are in Belgium.

Afternoon papers of Ghent, the correspondent says, published last Saturday a statement as follows: "The German army has been cut at Countenberg, between Brussels and Louvain, by a Belgian army reinforced by Russian troops."

His investigations confirmed this, but where these Russians are and what their numbers may be it would be indiscreet to tell, he says. Continuing, the correspondent mentions the possibility that the Russians is the only army reinforcing the Belgians.

PRISONERS AND WAR TROPHIES ARE TAKEN TO FRENCH CAPITAL

Paris, Sept. 14.—A convoy of 700 prisoners and 164 wounded, all from the imperial guard of Germany, passed through Gorbiel, 18 miles southeast of Paris, Sunday. All were exhausted and nearly famished.

A number of trains arrived at the northern and eastern stations early to-day, bringing cannon, projectiles, ammunition wagons and aeroplanes captured from the enemy. Among the wounded arriving at the eastern station was a sergeant of reservists, who was in the fighting at Montmirail. He saw a number of German soldiers made prisoners in a field of yellow clover. The forage had been cut in sheaves and when one of the sheaves was seen to move a shot fired into it brought out a German infantryman. A second shot fired into another sheaf brought out another German, and it was found that all others in the field concealed soldiers. All were easily captured.

AUSTRIA UNPREPARED NO UNIFORMS READY FOR THIRD RESERVES

London, Sept. 14.—A dispatch to the Central News from Petrograd dated Sunday, says it is reported from Bucharest that a panic occurred in Vienna on receipt of the news of the capture of Semlin by the Servians and that thousands of unemployed are parading the streets of the capital. The military stores and even the stock of uniforms proved insufficient and the third levy of reservists are going to the frontier in civilian attire.

Russians to the number of 2,500, liberated from captivity in Germany, have arrived in Petrograd via Finland. It is stated that the reason of this liberation is that the German exchequer is too depleted to admit of their being kept.

RUSSIAN ARMY NOW IN FRONT OF KONIGSBERG

Paris, Sept. 14.—In a dispatch from Petrograd the correspondent of the Havas Agency says it has been announced in the Russian capital that a Russian army is now before Konigsberg, East Prussia. The same agency has received dispatches declaring that the Russian successes in Galicia are continuing.

KING VICTOR OF ITALY RECEIVES SOCIALIST

Rome, Sept. 14.—It is reported that King Victor Emmanuel has received the Socialist leader, Leonida Bissolati Bergamaschi, who explained the feeling of the Italian democracy at the present moment concerning the European conflagration.

AUSTRIANS CAPITULATE

London, Sept. 14.—A dispatch from Paris to Reuter's Telegram company says: "A telegram from Petrograd to the Matin states that persistent rumors are current there that the larger part of the Austrian armies capitulated yesterday.

SERVIANS SUCCESSFUL

Nish, Sept. 14.—The Servian offensive movement continues successfully on the left bank of the Save. No important developments along the lower Drina have been reported since the Servian victory on September 9.

GENERAL LOSES SON.

Paris, Sept. 14.—General Balloud, one of the heroes of the campaign for the pacification of Morocco, was visiting the wounded in a hospital when informed that his son was killed.

The general paled and tears rolled down his cheeks. He then became as impassive as ever and went on with his visit.

ALLIED ARMIES HOLD GROUND FROM AMIENS TO NANCY AND VOSGES

Everywhere Along Battle Line Enemy Is Forced Towards Frontier, Encumbered by War Material That Was to Reduce Paris.

Three Armies Driven to Frontier in South-End and French Lorraine Liberated—Further Concentration Impossible.

Paris, Sept. 14.—3.16 p. m.—It was officially announced this afternoon that the Germans still are retiring everywhere. They are abandoning all the positions which they erected to cover a possible retreat.

The official statement follows: "On our left wing the enemy had prepared, to the north of the Aisne, between Compiegne and Soissons, a line of defence which it was forced to abandon. Some detachments which it had held at Amiens now have retired on Perrone and St. Quentin.

"On the central the Germans had taken up a defensive position behind Rheims but were unable to hold it. In the Argonne region they have turned back toward the north beyond the forest of Belnous and beyond Traincourt.

"On the right wing the retreating movement of the Germans is general from Nancy to the Vosges. Yesterday evening French territory in this vicinity had been completely evacuated."

Yesterday Spent Crossing Aisne River.

London, Sept. 14.—The official press bureau this afternoon issued the following statement: "All day yesterday the enemy stubbornly disputed the passage of the Aisne by our troops, but in spite of the difficulty of fording the river in face of a strong opposition, nearly all the crossings were secured by sunset.

"On our right and left, the French troops were confronted with a similar task in which, like ourselves, they were successful. Many more prisoners were taken.

"It is reported from the French headquarters that the German crown prince's army had been driven back and that he has moved his headquarters from St. Menehould to Montafaucon."

Von Kluck and Von Buelow Beaten.

Paris, Sept. 14.—The retreat of Generals von Kluck and von Buelow continued at last accounts with rapidity. The only official comment last night was that the allies were keeping in contact with the enemy and had crossed the river Aisne.

The whereabouts of the Germans was not revealed, but it is evident that they do not intend to make a stand on the line from Rheims to Soissons, nor is it likely they will halt their retreat before reaching Belgium. They have already made two-thirds of the distance from Provins, department of Sey et Marne, to the frontier. The heavy rains of Saturday and Sunday are not likely to facilitate the movement of the famous 450-millimetres mortars that were to reduce Paris and would require forty horses to draw them.

French Lorraine Has Been Liberated.

The armies of Generals von Hausen and the Prince of Wurtemburg, which constituted the centre, seem to be headed toward Rethel and Mezzeris, though part of this force is reported as still resisting at the south end of the forest of Argonne.

It was reported last night that the armies of the Crown Prince, the Prince of Bavaria and General von Heringen had been forced across the frontier and that the entire territory of French Lorraine had been liberated.

Another Concentration is Impossible.

This disposition of the German armies makes another concentration in France, as suggested by certain critics, impossible. It leaves Generals von Kluck and von Buelow hotly pursued by the allies and menaced by an enveloping movement on the left and without hope of reinforcements except perhaps from the sixty thousand troops which occupy Belgium.

The latest news from Antwerp, however, shows that these are likely to be needed there to stand off the offensive movement taken by King Albert's army.

Taken altogether, the situation here is viewed with equanimity and the government is busying itself with ways and means for reviving trade and commerce.

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LATE NIGHT WAR NEWS

PRUSSIAN STRATEGY FAILS BEFORE POWER OF ALLIES

London, Sept. 13.—The famous plan No. 2 has failed, declares a well-known military expert. It was checked and muddled at Liege, and, almost at the gates of Paris, it has been smashed into utter confusion. Nothing can change this significant fact. Victory on the battlefield of Vitry—the ultimate taking of Paris—cannot change it now. Plan No. 2 has failed, and in its failure you may read—if you will—a forecast of the far-off end of the war.

The German general staff had elaborated four plans for the invasion of France. The moment war was declared—the moment the covering troops of the seventh army corps were rushed across the Belgian frontier—it was known that the war was to be fought on Plan No. 2.

No mystery was made of it. It was divulged with what seems foolhardy bravado. In Bavaria, for instance, the officers of Rupprecht's army hailed each other with laughing shouts of "Swell." That meant a German dash across the open Belgian plain north of the Meuse to the undefended Belgian frontier of France. It meant a direct march upon Paris. It meant disaster for the confident German officers, not a rendezvous for dinner at the Cafe de Paris on the evening of August 17.

This in a nutshell was plan No. 2.

Its dash depended entirely upon the rapidity with which it could be executed. The art of war, after all is said, consists of beating someone weaker than yourself. The essential of plan No. 2 was that the foe should be surprised in a muddled state of inferiority. The attack must be made before the French defensive, stretched leanly along the entire frontier from Belfort to Lille, could be concentrated to meet it. And it was just this chance of falling swiftly upon an inferior foe that was lost in the sullen and bitter delay in front of Liege. Prussian strategy is iron-rimmed and inelastic. Its elaborate plans cannot be lightly changed.

And with grim valor—with the most appalling sacrifice of life the world has ever known—the huge, rigid, complicated German war machine has been pushed on according to the plan first decided upon.

Only it is too late. It is too late for that swift return upon the Russian forces which was an essential part of Plan No. 2. It is too late for throwing into Vosges those victorious troops which were to stamp out the last dying struggles of the French republic.

That is the fierce and significant fact that stands out of the war news to-day. No victories can hide it. No subsequent success can compensate for it. The famous Plan No. 2 has failed. It is not in the swift retreat of the German forces—in their falling back before the savage assaults of the allies—that intimation of an ultimate defeat of the Kaiser's army are to be found. Of more sinister significance is the fact that in the very midst of battle they have been forced to elaborate a new plan of action. What has failed is not the German fighting men. It is Prussian strategy.

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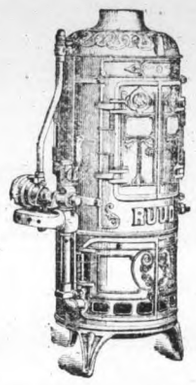

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Washington, Sept. 13.—The British embassy has now made public the following cablegram from the London foreign office:

"General Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa, in a speech in the Union parliament on September 9, said that when the Empire was at war, the Union of South Africa was also at war. Their conscience and duty bade them be faithful to the imperial government in their hour of trouble.

"That was the attitude of the South African government and of the South African people. The Union defence force had been mobilized and the Union troops, at the request of the imperial government, would undertake certain operations in German Southwest Africa.

"General Botha dwelt on the righteousness of Great Britain's cause and said the future of South Africa was being decided on the battlefields of Europe. He also alluded to the grant of a constitution to South Africa and to the fact that Great Britain ever since had regarded South Africa as a free people and sister state.

"As an example of how the imperial government treated South Africa, he instanced the loan of £7,000,000 which the imperial government had just made to the Union government. This was the spirit of co-operation and brotherhood which invariably animated the imperial government towards the Union government. The Union government on their side were offering South African products for the use of the troops.

"The speech was enthusiastically received by all parties."

London, Sept. 13.—The African World says an active movement is on foot to offer Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, secretary for war, a corps of picked British and Dutch Africander scouts for use with Field Marshal French's army under the command of General Christian Rudolf Dewet, the former Boer commander.

London, Sept. 13.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram company from Nairobia, British East Africa has crossed the frontier, occupied Karangu and are advancing on Kisii, a hilly district near Lake Victoria. British forces have been dispatched to meet them. There was a battle between Germans and British last Sunday, the details of which are not available. The wounded are being brought to Nairobi.

BERLIN COMPELLED TO ADMIT RETREAT

May Be Preparing Populace For News of Serious Reverses

Paris, Sept. 13.—10.15 a. m.—A Havas Agency dispatch from Bordeaux gives the following official communication issued at Berlin:

"The news is received from headquarters that the army situated east of Paris, which had advanced across the Marne, was attacked by a superior force of the enemy proceeding from Paris between Meuax and Montmirall.

"The battle lasted two days, resulting in heavy losses on both sides. The French troops advanced and our troops retreated, followed by columns of strong fresh French troops.

"The situation in the region of the Vosges remains without change. In Eastern Prussia fighting has recommenced.

"The news is received from the army commanded by the Crown Prince that the forts south of Verdun have been bombarded since Wednesday by heavy artillery."

The foregoing is signed by General von Stein.

London, Sept. 13.—2.15 p. m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Rome says that it is officially announced in Berlin that the army of the German Crown Prince Frederick William has captured a fortified position southwest of Verdun, and it is now beginning an attack with the heaviest artillery pieces on the forts south of Verdun.

The capture by the Germans of a fortified position southwest of Verdun was reported in dispatches Saturday.

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK WITH TERRIBLE LOSS

London, Sept. 13.—3.40 p. m.—A Central News dispatch from Petrograd says that the German forces in East Prussia have been driven back with great losses near Muishents, but are still bringing up reinforcements. The Germans are making their chief efforts in the region of Mauersze lakes.

REPORTED TO BE PRISONER.

London, Sept. 12, 6.25 p.m.—A dispatch to the Evening News from Petrograd says that Henry Sienkiewicz, the Polish writer and author of "Quo Vadis," who recently issued an appeal to the Poles to support Russia in the war, has been taken prisoner by the Austrians and sent to Cracow.

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STORY OF GRIM WAR BEFORE LIEGE TOLD

German Tells of Charge Made in Attempt to Capture Forts

New York, Sept. 12.—A vivid description of the fighting before Liege, attributed to a German officer seriously wounded in the battle, is published by the Weser Zeitung of Bremen, copies of which reached here today. Under the caption "From the Border to Liege" the officer describes his experiences and feelings in a letter which reads in part as follows: "Our trip to the Belgian border was a triumphal procession. It was pouring rain as we marched through the Ardennes. The towns seemed deserted. We had no rest and during the night were fired upon.

"At 5 a. m. (August 6) we marched through the Ourtz valley, meeting obstacles everywhere. It was an awful march; the roads were blocked by felled trees and boulders; of bridges there were only a remnant. In the afternoon we took quarters in a village south of Liege.

"Seven o'clock an alarm is sounded; the captain shouts, 'Storm Liege.' It is impossible. We cannot go farther; the forts are 35 kilometres away, but we press on. Thirty minutes pass and we are fired upon from the heights. Now shots are fired directly at us from nearer points. We draw our revolvers and rush forward.

"The field is alive with troops of all arms. It is raining in torrents; a thunderstorm is roaring and the night is pitch dark. We press on. We see soldiers falling. Now they fall in masses and do not rise. The sky clears, the moon shines; we hear cannonading.

"Suddenly we hear that our baggage has been attacked. One company turns back. The village has been burned down and all the people shot. Such are the atrocities of the Franco-Tireurs. Meanwhile we keep on, close to Liege, and turn off behind the woods. Four regiments lay down their knapsacks and 'iron rations' are taken out. The last exhortation is given; we form in ranks for the charge.

"Shells whizz past, but without aim. We gallop by our artillery, stuck helplessly in the mud up to the stomach. A wild hail of bullets bursts on us from a point directly opposite. Our men are firing upon us, but just in time we are recognized. Now we are directly in front of the firing line of the forts. There is wild clamoring. The patrol 'Woerth' is given. Friend and enemy look alike.

"I am lying before a barricale of trees and barbed wire with my comrade. Lieut. G., on my left and the captain on my right. Shells explode all around us, everywhere is the infernal noise of musketry fire. The air is hot. A few yards ahead we may get better cover. I nudge Lieut. G. and ask, 'Shall we go forward?' No answer; he is dead. The captain jumps to his feet and falls back, shot in the breast. I raise by arm and the company responds to my word of command.

"I rush forward. A terrible blow throws me back three feet. I have received a shell in the left thigh; the pain is terrible. Before me an officer calls out his name, holds out his hand to me and then falls back—dead. In front of me there is a flag and I try to crawl up to it. The bearer is dead. A second shot strikes me in the left arm; a third in the right arm; I bite the earth with pain. A few steps in front are the Belgian rifle pits. Our men advance. I lie in one place nearly twelve hours, yet despite the hail of bullets nothing happens to me. A doctor comes with bandages. At noon I am carried away, shivering with fever. I meet our regiment. Its losses are terrible—three captains, six lieutenants dead, nearly all from my battalion.

"I am taken to a field hospital. During the first few days I suffer terribly, but now I am much better. There are others who have to suffer greater pain than I; that makes one keep quiet. I have lost everything; the clothes I wore were so soaked with blood that they were burned. A Russian brought me some underwear and a sympathetic little woman is washing a uniform for me."

MAY EXCHANGE PRISONERS.

London, Sept. 13, 3.35 p.m.—A Reuter Telegram company dispatch from Amsterdam says that an agreement has been reached whereby France and Germany will exchange an equal number of prisoners, officers and men, who may rejoin their respective armies.

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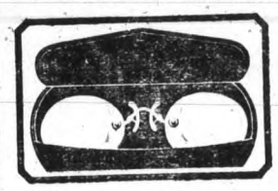

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AUSTRIANS IN A PANIC.

Rome, Sept. 13.—(Via Paris.)—News from the Austrian frontier says that the Austrian army in Galicia is demoralized and that the efforts of the officers to restore confidence are in vain. It is added that the Austrian soldiers are in a panic and are fleeing for safety.

GENERAL JOFFRE IS GIVEN WARM PRAISE

London, Sept. 13.—Col. Repington, military critic of The Times, writes:

"Gen. Joffre must be congratulated on having seized the psychological moment for his counter stroke, and for having engaged with his whole strength. If there be a man with a rifle in France who is not in this battle, he is out of place. The French army deserves our warmest and heartiest congratulations for the vigor and gallantry with which it is fighting.

"Our eyes naturally are fixed mainly upon the deeds of our army, but we must not forget that we occupy a comparatively small part of the allied line, and that throughout the rest of the front the French armies have for four or five days not only withstood victoriously the German attack, but have, in nearly all cases, gained ground and driven the Germans back."

FRENCH AEROPLANE DESTROYS GERMAN ONE

Paris, Sept. 13.—News has been received here of an exciting air battle in the vicinity of Troyes.

A German aeroplane threw several bombs into the city, and a French machine arose and gave chase. After a thrilling pursuit of fifteen miles, the French aeroplane overtook the German near Piney, where an engagement ensued.

The French machine soon secured the advantage in position, and speedily the German aeroplane was precipitated to the earth, two officers on board being killed.

SERVIANS WILL FORM JUNCTION WITH RUSSIA

London, Sept. 13.—A dispatch from Nish, Servia, to the Exchange Telegraph company, says: "Following their capture of Semlin, the Servians, acting in harmony with the plans of the Russian general staff, are preparing to march on Budapest, where they will unite with the Russian troops who are marching to the westward. This will constitute a menace to the German flanks. The Servians are leaving the bulk of the work in the invasion of Bosnia to the Montenegrins."

BATTLE RAGING AT FOOT OF THE VOSGES

London, Sept. 13.—5.50 p. m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Rome says: "It is reported from Basel that 90,000 men were engaged in a fierce battle between Thaun and Senheim. The Germans occupied the Gebweiler valley, at the foot of the French Vosges. The outcome is not known."

PITIFUL STORY OF A MOTHER'S FLIGHT

Lost Two of Her Children While Trying To Get Out Of War Zone

New York, Sept. 13.—Among the passengers on the Campania, which docked last night, was a tall, handsome woman dressed entirely in black. Her eyes showed that she had undergone intense strain and her pale, hollow cheeks spoke of suffering. At her side, and tightly clasping her mother's hand, walked a three-year-old girl.

Suddenly a middle-aged man rushed up to her, placed his arms about her and pressed his lips against her cheek. Then his eyes fell upon the girl. "Where are the two other children, Anna?" he asked.

The woman broke into tears. "They are in heaven," she cried hysterically. "One lies buried in Wirballen and the other in Vilna. They were both killed while I was trying to carry them away."

She was Mrs. Anna Gibbs, of Berkeley, Calif., and the man who met her on the pier was her cousin. Her husband, Curtis Gibbs, in Berkeley, does not know that two of his three children were killed.

As the Campania steamed slowly up from quarantine, Mrs. Gibbs, clasping her only remaining child in her arms, told her pitiful story. It is pathos in every line.

"On the first day of August," she commenced, "I was living comfortably in Wirballen, Russia, where I had gone the first of June to spend the summer with my mother-in-law. I am an American citizen. Wirballen is one of the frontier towns between Germany and Russia.

"I awoke on the morning of August 2 to find the town had gone wild. Cannon thundered in the distance. Now and then a shell would rage through the town, smashing houses and churches. Somewhere we knew a battle was on.

"Unfamiliar with the country as I was, I could think of no flight only toward the west. I hastily dressed my three children—there was Curtis, seven years; Orelana, four years, and Martha, three years old—and fled from the town.

"I was so excited that I did not notice where I was going. But the smoke appeared to cling more closely to the earth as we went along, and the sound of the firing grew more distinct. Men were running past us as we hurried along. Bullets whistled and sang as they passed over our heads. At last, after I had walked for an hour or so, I realized that I had led my children into the very heart of a pitched battle.

"A soldier led us up to the Russian rifle pits, where men were firing. It was our only chance of safety. All through the day and well into the night we stayed there, afraid to move. Curtis had been ill, and I noticed that he grew weaker as the hours went on. Just as dawn broke on the battlefield he passed away.

"I could stay there no longer. Gathering his silent little form in my arms, I fled back to Wirballen. The town was nearly deserted. I went to an undertaker's shop and found the owner away. With my own hands I took a coffin and laid my son in it. Two old men helped me carry it to my mother-in-law's home, where we covered it with a scant mantle of earth in the garden."

Mrs. Gibbs once more fled from Wirballen. She walked with her two children for four long days, sleeping beneath the stars and getting food wherever she could.

"Just as we reached Vilna, on August 7," she continued, "Orelana, my second child, died from exposure. We buried her in a little Russian cemetery with nothing but a cross to mark the grave."

Still penniless, but with only one child to care for now, she pushed on to Finland. Here she was found by Mrs. Maria Louise Bruce, of Hoboken, N. J., who helped her on to Stockholm, and there the American consul gave her enough money to cross the Atlantic.

KILLED, WOUNDED OR MISSING FROM ARMY

London, Sept. 14.—The deputy adjutant-general at the base of the British expeditionary forces announces that the following officers have been killed:

Gough, Lieut. J. B., Royal Horse Artillery.

Parker, Lieut. R. E., Royal Horse Artillery.

Whish, Capt. J. K. T., East Surrey Regiment (died in field hospital.)

Wounded.

Burnard, Capt. C. F., Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Bayley, Second Lieut. C. B., King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Buchanan-Dunlop, Capt. H. D., Royal West Kent Regiment.

Clark, Lieut. and Quartermaster W., Royal Irish Rifles.

Grover, Lieut. E. J., Cheshire Regiment.

Thomas, Lieut. A. F., Manchester Regiment.

White, L. W., 1st Dragoon Guards (attached to Queen's Bays.)

Wingate-Gray, Second Lieut. W. S., Royal Field Artillery.

Wormald, Lieut.-Col. F., 12th Lancers.

Missing.

Picton-Warlow, Capt. I., Gordon Highlanders.

Simpson, Major G. J., Gordon Highlanders.

Trotter, Lieut. L. J., Gordon Highlanders.

In a list of wounded dated September 10 appeared the name of Lieut. T. G. B. Morgan-Grenville. This should read Captain the Hon. R. G. Morgan-Grenville, Master of Kinloss, Rifle Brigade.

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HERBERTSHOHE TAKEN BY AUSTRALIAN NAVY

London, Sept. 14.—Rear-Admiral Sir George Patey, commander-in-chief of the Royal Australian fleet, cabled the secretary of the admiralty, stating that after 18 hours' fighting in over six miles of bush, the Australian naval force captured Herbertshohe, with its wireless station, on September 12. The tower and station were demolished by the enemy, and will be useless for some time.

The casualty list is as follows:

Killed.

Elwell, Lieut. Commander Charles B., Royal Navy.

Pockley, Capt. B. A., Royal Army Medical Corps.

Four seamen of the Australian naval reserves.

Wounded.

Bowen, Lieut. R. G., Royal Australian Navy.

Three seamen of the Australian naval reserve.

The German casualties are not definitely known, but include between 20 and 30. Three German officers were taken prisoners, including the commandant, together with 15 German noncommissioned officers and 56 native police.

GERMAN FINANCIERS AND PEOPLE ANXIOUS

Constance, Sept. 13.—The headquarters of the 114th German infantry is in mourning, as practically the entire regiment has been destroyed.

Many pitiful scenes are enacted when the women come to examine the posted list of the dead.

The war loan is causing anxiety to German financiers, as it will force the hands of the bankers, while the attitude of the people is somewhat uncertain in view of the imminent disastrous retreat of the German army in France.

Never repine at misfortune, or envy the happiness of another, since it is impossible for any man to form a right judgment of his neighbor's sufferings.—Addison

CANADIAN NORTHERN GETS $600,000 DAMAGES

Government Upheld on Points of Law in Transcontinental Railway Suit.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 14.—The decision of the Exchequer court in the C. N. R. land damage case in St. Boniface is announced. The court finds for the government on all the points of law at issue and the damages accorded are one-tenth of those claimed.

The case arose over the entrance of the transcontinental railroad into Winnipeg. The line selected and constructed passed through the Canadian Northern property in St. Boniface. Owing to the elevation of the C. N. R. tracks enormous damages were claimed, amounting to nearly $6,000,000. These were tried in the exchequer court.

The court awards the Canadian Northern about $600,000 instead of $6,000,000 claimed

GERMAN TRANSPORT AFFECTED.

London, Sept. 13.—A dispatch from Bordeaux to Reuter's Telegram company says that the Temps repeats the report that the stock of gasoline in Germany is becoming exhausted, and adds that as the German army depends largely upon its motor transport for supplies of all sorts, this greatly aggravates the situation.

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THE WAR.

The retreating German armies in France are in deadly peril and unless reinforcements of fresh troops speedily reach them a large proportion will be cut off and either annihilated or forced to surrender. The right wing, composed of the forces of Generals Von Kluck and von Buelow, is endeavoring to reach the Belgian frontier before it is encircled by the pursuers, who have now crossed the Aisne and are in constant touch with their harassed foe. The two German armies constituting the centre are heading northward towards the Ardennes, leaving a section at the south of the forest of Argonne to cover their retreat. The armies of the Prince of Bavaria and General von Heringen are being driven across the Lorraine frontier and likely will retire to their bases at Metz and Strassburg.

If this disposition of the retreating armies is correct, there will be no further concentration of German forces for offensive action in France. Their right, centre and left are separated from one another, and the chief problem of the two former is to escape capture or destruction. Their course is towards the lower Belgian frontier along the valley of the Meuse, as it is scarcely possible for them to reach the famous gap of Treves into Luxemburg in force before the allies. Retreat by way of Lille and central Belgium or via Maubeuge and the Sambre probably already has been rendered out of the question, and apparently all that is left is the most tortuous and difficult of the lines of communication which served the various German armies operating in France. The news that the allies have surrounded a large section of the German right and centre armies will not be at all surprising. A similar fate may overtake the sixty thousand Germans marching from Belgium to their assistance.

The German invasion of France has failed. The Kaiser's legions have been out-fought and out-manoeuvred. So long as there was an army vastly inferior in numbers ahead of them they were able to "hack their way through," to use the German chancellor's expression. But this hacking progress, this sacrifice of discretion, prudence and all the principles of strategy to headlong speed, played into the hands of the cool, calculating men who directed the operations of the allied armies. Enticing von Kluck's tempestuous right wing, the cream of German fighting men, across the Marne to the southeast of Paris, they outflanked it—out-Kaisered the Kaiser—and crumpling it up ruined the entire German line from Meaux to Verdun.

Even if they reach the Belgian frontier the fugitive German right and centre may find themselves cut off. The Belgian army in two divisions is now engaged in destroying the communications on the east and west of Brussels, isolating the German army in occupation of the capital. They also hold the road between Brussels and Liege, barring the progress of reinforcements. We may conclude that there are more than Belgians engaged in this process. The prospects are that the Germans will be compelled to evacuate both France and Belgium without striking another serious blow as a result of the battle of the Marne which some profound critics declared to be but a minor phase of the great war. Should the pursuit conducted by the allies be as effective as we hope it will be, the battle of the Marne is likely to prove the determining phase of the struggle.

The evacuation of Belgium and France by the Germans would be followed by the invasion of Germany by the allies, and in this connection it should be noted that if Belgium is the most convenient route into France it is also the easiest way into Germany. It menaces the very heart of Germany's industrial and educational life, those great cities of Rhenish Prussia, Cologne, Dusseldorf, Crefeld, Bonn, Coblentz, Essen and others, which are the centres of German trade and commerce. Berlin itself is not so vital to Germany's well-being as the large ly populated cities of the west, and Germans more easily could afford to have their capital fall into the hands of the Cossacks than to have their great industrial centres taken. That was one of the reasons why Germany struck so swiftly at France. The peril from the west is more pressing than that which comes thundering down from the steppes of Russia. But if the German reverse in France is as complete as reports indicate, an allied army will be encamped on the banks of the Rhine before the middle of October.

The Russian operation against the centre and left wing of the Austrian armies in Poland has ended just as the remarkably able strategists of the Russian staff intended it should end. The army of General von Auffenberg, the Austrian Minister of War, has been caught between the central Russian army facing the south and a portion of the force of General Rusky which moved forward after taking Lemberg in Galicia. The Austrian centre has been destroyed and the left has been surrounded between the Vistula and the San, and its surrender is imminent. At the same time the dual monarchy is being invaded from the south by Servians, who have crossed the frontier at three places, while a Russian army is marching through Transylvania on the east with the object of joining the Servian army at Budapest. The ruin of the dual monarchy, complete and irreparable, seems imminent, and Germany, crippled in the west, cannot lend a hand. The mills of the gods are beginning to grind.

STILL INTACT.

A dispatch from San Diego yesterday stated that the British cruiser Newcastle, the Japanese ship Idzumo, and the German cruisers Leipzig, Nuernberg and Embden have been reported to be within a radius of two hundred and fifty miles of that port. We have had other reports from San Diego since this war began—booming of guns, sinking of British freighters, and so forth—which have cautioned us to accept what comes from there with considerable reserve. We observe that the Embden is reported to be with the two other German ships. The last we heard of her was in a message from the Shanghai liar to the effect that she and a Russian cruiser, a survivor of the war with Japan, had engaged in battle somewhere in the China seas, and so deadly was the grapple that both sank. Apparently the Germans have resurrected the Embden and repaired her on the high seas, while no doubt the Russians have fished up their boat, filled in the holes with cotton wadding and excelsior and made her as good as ever.

We note also that the Leipzig is still intact. Rumor has reported her in various latitudes and conditions during the last fortnight. First she was being towed to Esquimalt minus her stern. Then she was sunk off Prince Rupert, then she went down off the Oregon coast, and finally she was making full speed across the Pacific. We have received at this office telegrams from interior newspapers inquiring if it was a fact that the Leipzig was in concealed captivity in Esquimalt harbor. One of the unfortunate results of these exploded rumors concerning the Leipzig is that when she is sunk or captured nobody will believe it. Even if they see her being towed around Race Rocks sceptics will swear it is a mirage.

CORRECT AND CHIVALROUS.

A correspondent of the New York Herald, writing from Zurich on the 26th of August, said that had Austria had any idea that the throwing of her note at Servia would have had such a disastrous result it never would have been done. Austria did not anticipate that Great Britain would be projected into the war. The writer says the consternation caused by Britain's action has not died away yet. We easily can believe that. In fact we should not be astonished if consternation has developed into something closely akin to panic in the light of what has occurred since August 20. The action of Great Britain, however, in intimating that she purposed standing by the obligations contained in a "scrap of paper" caused some concern in another capital as well as in that of Austria. It may not have precipitated consternation in Berlin, but it aroused the wrath of certain war lords there, and it operated so effectively in Belgium that that little nation manfully withstood the passage of the invading Prussians and upset the war lords' plan of campaign. The Herald correspondent further reports that while Austria was in consternation on receipt of the startling information that Great Britain had determined to stand by her engagements, she recognised that Britain's attitude all through had been correct and chivalrous, while that of certain other powers had savored of trickiness.

THE NAVAL VOLUNTEERS.

We cordially endorse the criticism directed by a contemporary against the discouraging treatment given to the Naval Volunteers by tactless officialdom. While some of the young men who patriotically offered their services may have found the heavy grind, to which they were unaccustomed, trying enough, they made no complaint and only withdrew because they were bluntly informed that they were not wanted. This wet blanket on the naval volunteer movement is in singular conflict with the frequent declarations in the parliaments of Britain and the dominions that the existence of the empire is at stake and that its resources would be strained to the utmost to bring its enemy to the ground. There is more back of this matter than meets the eye. The naval valunteer movement, we recall, knocked at the door of officialdom a long time before it received a somewhat frigid welcome. Is there a political motive behind the discouragement shown to it since the war broke out? Are certain quarters still trying to damn what they fear may be the beginning of a Canadian navy? A little later we propose to deal with this subject in greater detail. It certainly will be dealt with on the floor of the Canadian parliament in due course.

CONDEMNED BY CIVILIZED WORLD.

Representative newspapers of the United States without exception comment severely upon the conduct of the German war lords, charging them with responsibility for the war and arraigning them before the bar of world opinion for the brutal, barbarous manner in which it has been conducted. We have quoted freely from our United States contemporaries for the purpose of giving our readers a general idea of the trend of public opinion in the republic, but the following article copied from the New York Times is possibly the most forcible arraignment of Germany that we have read. The Times says:

A great part of the people of the world are at war with Germany—her arms may triumph over them. But in the judgment of substantially the whole civilized world Germany stands condemned, and triumph of her arms will not reverse that judgment. She can take her appeal only by regeneration and through new ideals. The Germans say they are surprised at the attitude of the American people; they had expected sympathy and approval. If that be their feeling they need set no bounds to their disappointment, for the American people, some of German birth and descent alone excepted, are unanimous in condemning Germany's action. And the belief that she is responsible for the war is scarcely less firm and universal. That belief is based upon solid grounds of evidence.

Why do the American people condemn Germany? Because they condemn and abhor militarism, because they have an inborn and invincible aversion to that form of government in which one man sets his will above the will of the people. For the German people they have only friendship, mingled with a feeling of wonder that a people so enlightened have so long consented to the anachronism of imperial rule by "divine right." There is something more, however. The American people instinctively feel and know that the complete triumph of Germany in this great conflict involves a not distant peril to themselves. President Eliot, in his letter to the Times, published on Friday, set forth with perfect clearness a truth that has found firm lodgment in the minds of Americans:

"Should Germany and Austro-Hungary succeed in their present undertakings, the whole civilized world would be obliged to bear continuously, and to an ever-increasing amount, the burdens of great armaments, and would live in constant fear of sudden invasion, now here, now there—a terrible fear, against which neither treaties nor professions of peaceable intentions would offer the least security."

The supremacy of German militarism would turn back the hands of the clock. The civilized world would thereafter be less civilized, and we could not shut our eyes to the danger that we, even though we be across the seas, should sooner or later be threatened, that we almost certainly would be threatened, by this great and dominant military power. To meet that danger we should be compelled to make our preparations.

The feelings of the American people are again expressed with great point and force in the letter from Sir Edward Grey addressed to his constituents at Berwick:

"The progress of the war has revealed what a terrible, immoral thing German militarism is. It is against German militarism that we must fight. The whole of Western Europe would fall under it if Germany should be successful in this war. But if, as a result of the war, the independence and integrity of the smaller European States can be secured and Western Europe liberated from the menace of German militarism, and the German people itself freed from that militarism—for it is not the German people, but Prussian militarism, which has driven Germany and Europe into war—if that militarism can be overcome, then indeed there will be a brighter, freer day for Europe which will compensate us for the awful sacrifices which war entails."

The German Foreign Office declared in the Memorandum which the Times published the other day that "we took the stand emphatically that no civilized nation had the right in this struggle against lack of culture (Unkultur) and criminal political morality to prevent Austria from acting to take away the just punishment from Servia." The reference is plain. The Foreign Office meant that England as a civilized nation had no right to take part against Germany in her struggle with "Unkultur," which means Russia. Yet in this great European war Russia is in the very forefront of the struggle against the great enemy of modern civilization and progress, Germany militarism. That is a truth that will be most distasteful to Germany. It will increase Germany's surprise and chagrin to know that the American people regard in that light the role of Russia in the conflict. But Germany has herself to blame if in the opinion of civilized neutral nations Russia's course is approved and her own course condemned. It is not a moral judgment alone, it is a judgment forced upon the people of the United States by considerations of their interest and safety. German militarism dominant in Europe, its power increased by the addition of the territory of Belgium, probably that of Holland, and become demonstratably irresistible by the humbling of France and England, would be, we feel, a menace to our own peace and safety.

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FRENCH REPORTS ON SEVEN DAYS' BATTLE

(Continued from page 1.)

continued. Their rear guards on the south of the Marne were being pressed back to that river by our troops and by the French on our right, the latter capturing three villages after a hand-to-hand fight and the infliction of severe losses on the enemy."

"Measures promptly were taken to head off the enemy, who were surrounded and trapped in a sunken road, where over 600 men surrendered."

The fighting along the Ourcq continued on this date and was of the most sanguinary character, for the Germans had massed a great force of artillery along the line. Very few of their infantry were seen by the French.

"The French fifth army also made a fierce attack on the Germans in Montmirail, regaining that place.

"On Wednesday, September 9, the battle between the French sixth army and what was now the German flank guard along the Ourcq continued.

"The British corps, overcoming some resistance on the river Petit Morin, crossed the Marne in pursuit of the Germans who now were hastily retreating northward. One of our corps was delayed by an obstinate defence made by a strong rear guard with machine guns at La Ferte Sous Jouarre, where the bridge had been destroyed.

"On Thursday, September 10, the French sixth army continued its pressure on the west, while the fifth army by forced march reached the line of Chateau Thierry and Dormans, on the Marne. Our troops also continued the pursuit on the north of the latter river, and after a considerable amount of fighting captured some 1,500 prisoners, six machine guns and 50 transport wagons.

"Many of the enemy were killed or wounded, and the numerous thick woods which dot the country north of the Marne are filled with German stragglers. Most of them appear to have been without food for at least two days.

"Indeed, in this area of the operations the Germans seem to be demoralized and inclined to surrender in small parties, and the general situation appears to be most favorable to the allies.

"Much brutal and senseless damage has been done in the villages occupied by the enemy. Property has been wantonly destroyed. Pictures in chateaus have been ripped up and houses generally have been pillaged.

"It is stated on unimpeachable authority also that the inhabitants have been much ill-treated."

"Interesting incidents have occurred during the fighting. On the tenth of September part of our second army corps advanced into the north, found itself marching parallel with another infantry force at some little distance away. At first it was thought this was another British unit. After some time, however, it was discovered that it was a body of Germans retreating

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Is New Secretary.—R. E. Gosnell has been appointed private secretary to Sir Richard McBride in succession to the late Lawrence Macrae. Mr. Gosnell previously acted in a similar capacity under five premiers. He was Sir Richard's first secretary after he took up office.

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Y. M. C. A., Room C, First Floor—Mr. Alfred Mace, from England, gives three special Bible addresses this week, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 4. All cordially welcome.

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In New Quarters.—To-day the provincial police department occupied new offices which have been made ready in the basement of the Law Chambers building, corner of Langley and Bastion streets, where hereafter the registration of motor licenses will be made and other business transacted in connection with that particular branch of the department's activities.

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Used Empty House.—Ah King was arrested early Saturday morning by Constable Bishop in an empty house on Cormorant street and was taken into custody. In police court he was charged with vagrancy, and evidence was forthcoming to indicate that he had been seen oftentimes in Chinatown in company with Indians and was suspected of supplying liquor. He was sentenced to two months with hard labor.

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Made Arrests.—Important arrests were made in the city on Saturday afternoon by Provincial Constables Owens and Kier when William Grady and Alfred Morris were taken into custody. Both men have served terms in jail on previous occasions, and are this time believed to have been concerned in the recent robbery of a section house at Shawnigan. The same officers also arrested Charles Woodroof at the Gorge dance hall on a warrant charging him with breaking and entering the residence of Rev. C. R. Sing at Duncan, and stealing a valuable fur robe. He will be taken back to Duncan for trial.

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Caught With Chickens.—Charlie King, a youthful Chinaman, was stealing home early Saturday morning with a bag over his shoulder when Inspector Walker of the city police force passed him. All might have been well for Charlie, but just as the officer got abreast, there came from inside the bag a stifled but unmistakable clucking. The inspector stopped the man and discovered two chickens inside the bag of which Charlie could give no adequate or coherent account. He was taken into custody and was sentenced by the magistrate to one month in jail with hard labor.

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Colonel Currie Chapter.—An organization meeting for the foundation of a chapter of the Daughters of the Empire took place last week at Scarf, B. C., and I. O. D. E. organizing secretary, Mrs. Neroutsos, and Mrs. H. C. Hannington, national councilor being present. The meeting was held at the residence of Captain and Mrs. Scarf, and the officers were elected as follows: Regent, Mrs. Scarf; first vice-regent, Mrs. Kirby; second vice-regent, Mrs. Stuart; secretary, Miss Boyden; treasurer, Mrs. P. E. Clark; standard-bearer, Miss Harris. The chapter is to be known as "Colonel Currie Chapter," and the motto is "For Home and Empire." Fifteen members were enrolled and it was decided at the meeting to hold a patriotic concert to-morrow evening for the purpose of raising funds. Lieut.-Colonel Currie was informed by night letter to Valcartier of the formation of the chapter.

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Y. W. C. A. Board Meets.—The monthly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. board of directors was held on Friday, the president, Mrs. Frank Adams, in the chair. There were 14 members present. Reports for the month showed that 6,056 meals had been served during the month; 191 transients had been accommodated. Donations of fruit and flowers had been received during the month from Lady Crease, Mrs. F. Adams, Miss Elliott, Mrs. Collis, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Bannerman, and Mrs. Mitchell, all of which were gratefully acknowledged. Applications continue to pass in increasing numbers through the registration office. Sixty had asked for helpers; 83 girls and women had sought employment, and 39 places had been filled. The Travelers' aid had also been busy, 161 boats and 21 trains having been met, and 81 people having been helped. It was decided that a sale of work would be held early in November. Articles being donated for sale at that time should be sent to the Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Gould, or Mrs. S. Leiser.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, September 14, 1889.

Frederick Villiers, war artist of the Graphic, will accompany the Governor-General on his tour through the Northwest and British Columbia.

At 11 o'clock this morning a bluejacket on the flagship Swiftsure, lying at Esquimalt harbor, while working aloft, fell from the maintopmast and was instantly killed on striking the deck. He fell 110 feet.

Sixteen members of the Victoria hose company, with their recently-imported racing reel, left for Tacoma this morning to attend the tournament which will commence on Tuesday morning.

The Sealers' Association yesterday held a meeting and decided to wait on the Governor-General when he arrives here next month. The constitution was also subscribed to by the members.

Building Permit.—A building permit has been issued to C. H. Prescott for alterations at his residence at 49 San Juan avenue.

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Will Take Holiday.—Fire Chief Davis will leave to-morrow on a short holiday. He is staying over to-night in order to see the moving picture operators' by-law through the council meeting this evening.

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Warwick Arbitration.—An arbitration on the Warwick property, Stanley avenue, will be commenced to-morrow. The arbitrators are Hugh Kennedy for the city, B. S. Oddy for the owner and R. E. Brett as umpire.

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Had Opium.—"I am trying to break myself of the habit but have not yet succeeded," said Fook, a Chinaman convicted in the police court this morning of having opium in his possession. The drug was found in the form of pills on the accused by Detective Turner, who stated in the witness box that the Chinaman was strongly suspected of supplying liquor to Indians. Magistrate Jay ordered the prisoner to pay $22.50 or spend a month in jail.

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Market Day.—Copies of the poster telling of the establishment of a market day in Victoria have been distributed at points along the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway, the Victoria & Sidney railway, the Saanich interurban line, in the street cars, from the stages operating out of Victoria, amongst farmer's institutes and the women's institutes in the vicinity and to branch secretaries of the Development association near Victoria. Preparations were commenced to-day in fitting up the temporary market stalls on the property west of the city hall, placed at the disposal of the committee by Leeming Brothers.

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Conditions Sound.—There was a largely-attended meeting of the members of the Victoria Mutual Loan and Building Society, Limited, on Saturday evening in the offices, 724 Fort street, under the presidency of R. W. Douglas. The fifteenth ballot was drawn, the result being that S. H. Redgrave becomes entitled to the loan of $1,000 for ten years, free of interest. T. Edward Clark, managing director and secretary, presented a balance sheet for the half year and spoke on the financial situation, which he declared to be quite sound. Regarding the society he said that the profits for the first year of its existence were sufficient to pay twenty per cent., while the profits for the last six months were one-third more than for the whole of the first year. There was no need for any panic or feeling of panic of any sort in Victoria.

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Coming to See Government.—In the near future steps will be taken by the Fraser Valley Development league to bring to the attention of the government the necessity of immediate assistance being given Fraser Valley ranchers in the way of loans to farmers and aid for land-clearing as recommended by the royal commission on agriculture. This course was recommended by the meeting of the league held at the Vancouver exhibition grounds on Thursday. A meeting of the various public bodies on the lower mainland is to be called to confer with Alexander Lucas, M. P. P., and F. J. Mackenzie, M. P. P., to arrange for a deputation to the government on these two matters. Mr. Lucas, who was a member of the commission on agriculture, advised the league members to get in touch with the department of agriculture here, and study its methods, relative to co-operative selling and marketing. He believed that the government should lend money to farmers on first mortgages instead of giving it to the banks. Ranchers were often kept back through lack of capital and every cent so put in their hands would be productive. A central selling agency, on co-operative lines for fruit dairy produce, chickens, eggs and other lines was proposed in a report by R. C. Abbott, markets commissioner for the league.

STRAIGHT DEALER TALK

R. H. Durbin, the advertising manager of one of the largest and most successful department stores in the country recently addressed a meeting of buyers in New York.

He made a strong plea to local merchants to support the manufacturers who advertise in newspapers.

Such national advertising, Mr. Durbin declared, should inspire the retailer to come out and say I carry "such and such a product."

Mr. Durbin gave this advice to the buyers:

"Do not forget that the goods you have in stock are to be sold right there in your town and that the way to sell them is to advertise in the home newspaper.

"Pay no attention to the manufacturer who sends you a lot of circular matter, saying, 'We are going to buy a $10,000 spread in the Sun and Moon Magazine on such a date and we hope you will co-operate with us by advertising in your local newspapers that you handle our product.'"

TACT AND DIPLOMACY GAINED CONVENTION

Ald. McNeill Returns Representing City in East; Prospects of Bond Sales

That the convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities was secured for Victoria in 1915 only by considerable tact and diplomacy is the opinion of Alderman McNeill, chairman of the finance committee, who represented the city at the recent meeting at Sherbrooke, Quebec. The alderman returned on Saturday and to-day will make a report to the civic finance committee on various matters in connection with his interview with the Dominion Securities Corporation officials in Toronto.

Alderman McNeill says that the convention was obtained for Victoria only through strong representations, as it had been destined for London, Ont. The meeting will be held here, probably in June next. The mayor of Sherbrooke extended the hospitality of the city to the delegates, who however adjourned after sitting only two days, the meeting unfortunately coinciding with the outbreak of the war. Some of the papers were not read, those omitted including that by Alderman McNeill on taxation. The papers will be published in the October issue of the Canadian Municipal Journal.

The interview that Alderman McNeill had with the Dominion Securities Corporation officials in Toronto showed that the market for long term debentures has been demoralized. While the brokers were willing to undertake the sale in New York and elsewhere in the East of some of the short-term issues, such as those for local improvement, they could give no promise with regard to the balance of the waterworks loan, $750,000. This issue the city is endeavoring to sell, at least in part, in order to prosecute the Sooke waterworks to a conclusion. These bonds are for 50 years and have in the past been sold in the Old Country. Now the brokers cannot offer any hope of sale, restricting their undertaking to giving what indirect assistance is possible to aid the city in raising money from the bank or in other directions.

Speaking of the country through which he passed, the alderman said that the depression was limited to the industrial cities. Rural Ontario was never more prosperous than at present. The small cities showed no sign of the reduced output of products.

Everywhere there was a grim determination to assist the Empire in carrying the war to a satisfactory conclusion. Among many of the United States people resident in Canada there was great sympathy with the allies in the war.

Alderman McNeill is strongly in favor of a moratorium being declared to cover difficulties on obligations on real estate and mortgages which have arisen through the outbreak of hostilities. He believes the Dominion government should establish a general suspension of payment of legitimate realty obligations. If the war had taught anything, it showed that the currency should be in direct control of the Federal government. To a considerable extent the provincial government could help the relief of business pressure by suspending payment on matters under the control of the legislature.

The alderman has been away some six weeks. He did not go through New York, as reported, recognizing that no useful purpose in advancing the sale of securities could be encompassed by going there at this juncture.

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Civilian Rifle Club Holds Successful Shoot at Clover Point

Besides the men of long standing, there was a good attendance of new members at the Civilian Rifle Club's week-end button shoot at Clover Point. The work of the new marksmen under the careful instructions they are receiving indicates that they are fast developing into good shots.

The gold button in A class was won by F. T. Murray; the silver button in B class by A. C. Kennedy, and the bronze button in C class by G. Douglas.

	200	500	600	Tl.
F. T. Murray	34	35	30	99
A. E. Ashe	33	34	30	97
E. H. Beaney	34	31	31	96
H. A. Gourlay	31	35	29	95
G. Douglas	32	31	29	92
A. C. Kennedy	30	31	30	91
W. Grant	31	30	29	90
Capt. Mitchell	31	32	27	90
G. Grassby	31	33	26	90
A. Symonds	31	32	26	89
Capt. Gollop	33	31	25	89
H. J. Geddes	31	29	27	87
G. H. Walton	27	27	32	86
R. S. Greig	30	27	27	84
D. McNicol	28	30	26	84
C. Routh	29	22	29	80
G. D. Walsh	24	27	27	78
R. V. Gordon	29	24	25	78
F. Harding	32	17	26	75
A. D. Ford	20	28	26	74
W. Pumfrey	27	24	22	73
J. V. Wright	28	19	25	72
G. Duncan	23	22	20	65
W. Clack	23	23	19	65
J. M. Case	26	22	14	62
W. F. Pilkington	23	23	13	59
A. Howe	31	6	17	54
J. Wilson	24	20	9	53
G. Kearney	28	25	Ret.	53
R. J. S. Bateman	20	23	10	53
S. G. Clark	25	14	4	43
C. B. Pearson	16	13	13	42
W. T. Williams	22	20	Ret.	42
F. Sloan	20	14	5	39

The club will hold a practice shoot on Tuesday afternoon, commencing at 3.30.

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I. O. D. E. Activities.—The sewing committee of the I. O. D. E. concluded an active week last Saturday by cutting out a quantity of "helpless case" shirts to Red Cross patterns. Patterns will be sent to anyone in outlying districts interested in taking up the work. Several pieces of Royal Doulton ware, suitable for gifts, were donated to the I. O. D. E. by Mrs. Sutherland, and will be on sale at the headquarters, Temple building, until disposed of.

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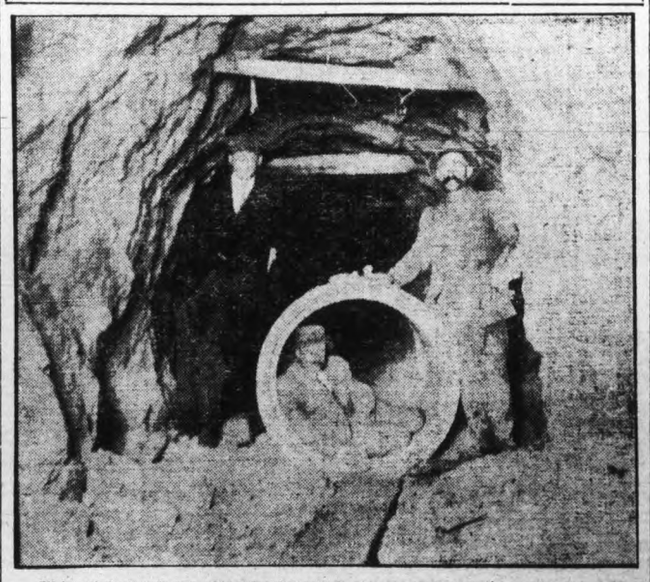
Fell From Motor.—Falling from a motor car in which he was riding on Saturday evening, and alighting on his head in the roadway, C. H. Williams, of Chandler road, sustained somewhat severe injuries which necessitated his removal to the police station where first aid was given. The car was at the corner of Blanshard avenue and Yates street at the time, Mr. Williams being seated on some furniture which he was taking home. When the motor turned sharply at the corner, he lost his balance and fell, sustaining a bad gash on the head.

AFTER THE FINAL BLAST



This picture shows the Northwest Sewer tunnel between Thomas street and Robert street after the final blast had been fired. Assistant Engineer Foreman is standing on the left, and Assistant Engineer Payne is seated in the pipe. The length of this tunnel is 850 feet, the depth below the surface varying from 60 feet to 120 feet. At the point where the last blast was fired it is 120 feet down, the pipe shown in the view being on the other side of the section blown out.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

J. V. Brown, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

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E. M. Coventry, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

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Miss Kathleen Munson, of Seattle, has arrived at the James Bay hotel.

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F. E. Leach is registered from Vancouver at the James Bay hotel.

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J. H. Calvert is staying at the Strathcona hotel while here from Sidney.

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A. O'Brien and Mrs. O'Brien, of Vancouver, are at the James Bay hotel.

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Dr. G. Archibald, of Kamloops, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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Henry K. Kiso was among yesterday's arrivals at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. C. Major is here from Vancouver, a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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Frank J. Dixon, of Toronto, is among the new arrivals at the Empress hotel.

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Max Crone, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel for a short time.

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A. Mallinson, of London, Eng., is registered at the Empress hotel while in the city.

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T. H. Worsnop, of Kamloops, is registered at the Empress hotel for a short stay.

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Capt. Stephen G. Footner, of this city, has taken up residence at the Strathcona hotel.

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Miss Lottie M. Wray, of Vancouver, is among those staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Scott are here from Vancouver, guests at the Strathcona hotel.

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C. S. McMichael is in the city from Toronto and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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E. Omagel is in the city from Vancouver and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Jones, of Hedley, are among the new arrivals at the Empress hotel.

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Among those registering at the Empress hotel yesterday was J. F. Webber, of Portland.

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Dr. W. F. Luton is staying at the Strathcona hotel while in the city from Cowichan Lake.

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Mrs. M. W. Lerch and Miss Ruth Ford are Pasadena visitors at the James Bay hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bowman, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., are staying at the James Bay hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. John C. Runkle, of Boston, are stopping for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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George Zimmerman has arrived in the city from Calgary and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

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J. M. Willard, of Winnipeg, arrived yesterday in the city and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell are Seattle visitors in the city and they are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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F. H. Pickles, of Jordon River, arrived in the ity yesterday and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

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A. E. MacDonald, of Hanley, Sask., registered for himself and Mrs. MacDonald at the James Bay hotel.

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Her numerous friends will be pleased to hear that Miss M. E. LePage is recovering from her recent illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McGaffey have arrived in the city from New York City and are registered at the Empress hotel.

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S. A. Fletcher, J. G. Mackay and J. J. Bainbridge have arrived in the city from New Westminster and are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. Joseph Clearihue, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Etholine Clearihue, has returned from Europe and is staying with her son, Mr. A. M. Clearihue, Craigflower road.

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Mrs. John Clapperton, formerly of Wilkinson road, has returned from a several months' visit in the Nicola Valley and is staying with friends at Cadboro Bay road pending her return to England.

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F. G. C. Wood, B.A., a member of the High school staff for the past four years, left on Saturday afternoon for the east to take a post graduate course in literature at Harvard University. He will be away from the city till the end of this school year in July.

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At the Congregational church, Quadra street, the marriage was celebrated last Saturday evening between Miss Beatrice Byron, of Elland, Yorkshire, and John Crook, of Darwen, Lancashire, England. Rev. Mr. Phipps officiated. Miss McIngaile acted as bridesmaid and H. T. Lock as groomsman.

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Rev. Dr. Campbell was the officiating minister at the marriage solemnized on Saturday afternoon between Marie Matilda, third daughter of Mrs. Joseph Mellon, of 1025 Burdett avenue, and Francis W. G. C. Clark, accountant in the Victoria branch of the Bank of British North America, and youngest son of Rev. P. T. Clark, D. D., of Gamrie, Scotland. The bride was attended by her sister, and W. K. McK. Bennett acted as best man. Following the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the Empress hotel for the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Clark leaving in the mid-afternoon for Duncan and other up-island points where the honeymoon will be passed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Murphey announce the engagement of their sister, Ruth A. Young, to Harry D. Rees, both of this city. The marriage will take place September 24.

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A charming event took place last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Howell, 1076 Davie street, the occasion being the silver-wedding of the host and hostess. A big company of the old-time friends met and participated in the celebration, among those present being Mr. and Mrs. R. McRoberts and Rev. I. W. and Mrs. Williamson, of Vancouver. A mock wedding was conducted by Mr. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Howell pledging themselves to continued fidelity and mutual amiability. The twenty-five years' bride was handsomely gowned in black silk with an overdress of rich lace, attending her being Mrs. Gillies who was also gracefully attired in black silk. A daughter of the happy couple, Mrs. P. MacDonald, presided at the piano, and played the wedding march, and at the conclusion of the ceremony a delightfully humorous speech was delivered by Rev. Wm. Stevenson. Songs were contributed by Mrs. J. W. H. King, Miss Robbins, Mrs. Hughes and Mr. Williamson, and after the impromptu proceedings were over the guests adjourned to the dining-room and partook of the delicious repast prepared for them. The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion, the drawing-room in green and gold flowers, and the dining-room with all manner of garden flowers. Toasts to the continued happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Howell were proposed, and during the evening several telegrams of congratulation and appropriate gifts were received.

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MODEL IS FINISHED

Irish Sculptor Has Designed Statue of Queen Victoria for Provincial Government.

Albert Bruce-Joy, the famous Dublin sculptor, has completed the model in clay of the statue of Queen Victoria which he has been commissioned to design for the government of British Columbia, and this is now on view in his studio in West Kensington, while a photograph of it has been sent to the government here.

Mr. Bruce-Joy is representing the queen as she was soon after ascending the throne. The figure is thirteen feet in height and is draped in the Garter robes—the chain, crown and sceptre, and the other insignia—and the dress is as it is represented in the life-size portrait by Winterhalter in Buckingham palace.

The whole figure is a beautiful piece of work. The pose is dignified and graceful, and the face wears a placid expression which is very natural. The decorative effect of the costume has been very carefully worked out. The pedestal, of polished granite, is between eighteen and nineteen feet in height. The clay model will be cast in plaster and ultimately a bronze figure will be cast, which will be erected in front of the parliament buildings.

The sculptor is at present at work on a bust of King George V. which he is making for the Thakur Saheb of Amod, in Bombay presidency, to be placed in the public park of that ruler's capital, and he is also engaged on a bust of the late Joseph Chamberlain, the sketches for which were completed at Highbury shortly before that statesman's death.

Mrs. Jellus (to prospective parlormaid)—"I am afraid you won't do. You see, you are—er—very good-looking, and my husband, being an artist, is a great admirer of female beauty, and—" **Parlormaid** (interposing)—"Yes, ma'am; any one can see that by his marrying you." **Mrs. Jellus**—"Er—well, anyway, I will give you a month's trial."

FLOWER SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Rev. Dr. MacLean Preaches on "The Message of the Flowers" to Congregation

Many happy children mingled with the large congregation which gathered yesterday morning at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, on the occasion of the annual flower services conducted by Rev. Dr. Maclean, the bountiful collection of fragrant blooms indicating the nature of the event.

Preaching on "The Message of the Flowers," Dr. Maclean drew for his hearers, old and young alike, the moral which might be drawn from the observation of these beautiful creations of an all-wise Father. Commencing by quoting from Henry Ward Beecher, who said that flowers had an expression of countenance the same as men—some smiled, some were sad, some pensive, others, like the sunflower and the hollyhock, were honest and upright—the pastor pointed out that flowers had the gift of language too: "Sweet letters of the angel tongue, which even babes can understand." They spoke of the unsleeping guardianship of the Heavenly Father, and of His even greater care for boys and girls and men and women.

Flowers spoke of the beauty and brevity of life. "As for man his days are as grass; as a flower of the field he flourisheth." Too little was said of the beauty of human life; too much of its brevity. Flowers, too, spoke of immortality: "The everlasting spring abides, and never-withering flowers" were lines which showed the poet's conception of their place in eternity. Flowers, apparently withered and dead in the fields, sprang anew to life with the return of summer. The same with mankind. Death here was only seeming; in the fields of Paradise people would live again.

There were, too, the reminders in them of the Redeemer, who said, "I am the Rose of Sharon, the lily-of-the-valley." They spoke of Christian service, perfectly fulfilling the law laid down by Christ: "Bear ye one another's burden." "Weep with them that weep; rejoice with them that rejoice." The gay blossoms were strewn in the pathway of the victor; they were woven into garlands for the conquerors; they formed an inseparable part of every festive celebration, marriages, feasts, and other events of the kind. On the other hand they carried a message of sympathy, and their ministry was very precious in the case of the sick or sorrowing. All nations spread them in profusion on the graves of their loved ones, a token of deathless devotion.

There was another point. Flowers loved sunshine. Some opened only with the sun, and were closed to all save the sun. This, it was urged, should be the attitude of the human heart toward Jesus Christ. Flowers, too, borrowed their hue from the skies. The violet quenched out all color save the blue; the geranium selected from the light its glorious red; the lily quenched all colors save that of purity.

Finally, flowers were distinguished by their great variety and diversity. Yet each blossom was perfect. People should not deplore denominational distinctions. It took many flowers to express the mind of God; it took many people and many religions for the full measure of His goodness to be revealed.

The mass of blossoms brought by the smaller members of the congregation are being distributed this afternoon by members of the Epworth league among the hospitals and sick people of the church.

A good musical programme, including two solos by Miss J. MacGowan, was given in connection with the services yesterday.

NOT GOOD-BYE BUT "AU REVOIR"

No, not good-bye, but "Au Revoir,"
We say as hand clasps hand.
We trust to see you back again
When peace reigns in the land.

Go forth, brave lads, with happy hearts;
Go forth with spirits strong!
To help old Britain in her need
And aid her right the wrong!

Then courage, boys, and do your best;
We'll look to see each name
Enrolled upon the honors' list,
So nobly "play the game."

And take this watchword as your guide,
Wherever you may be,
"For God, for home and country,"
On land or on the sea.

But should it be the fate of war
That you be called "to go,"
Then like a British soldier die,
With face toward the foe!

Then "Au Revoir" and not good-bye,
Until the war is o'er.
With a warm hand-clasp
And a faith that will last,
God keep you ever more.

S. A. H.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 14.—(5 a. m.)—The barometer has fallen considerably in advance of an ocean storm area, which may cause high winds or moderate gales on the straits and sound. Rain has occurred on Vancouver island and inland to portion of Kootenay, and heavy rains are reported in parts of the prairie provinces, while in north Saskatchewan heavy frosts have occurred.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m., Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or moderate gales, mostly from the southward, unsettled with rain.

Lower Mainland—Strong winds or moderate gales on the gulf, unsettled with rain.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 16 miles S.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 59.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, 46; minimum, 26; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .06; weather, fair.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 56; wind, 8 miles S. W.; rain, .01; weather, rain.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 14 miles S.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min.
Prince Rupert	52	40
Calgary	44	..
Edmonton	46	20
Prince Albert	64	50
Winnipeg	69	..
Toronto	62	..
Ottawa	70	..
St. John	66	..

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon, and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Highest	57
Lowest	47
Average	52

Bright sunshine, 7 hours 48 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon, and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest	54
Lowest	50
Average	52

Trace of rain.
Sunshine, 24 minutes.
General state of weather, cloudy.

Philanthropic Old Lady—"But I gave you sixpence yesterday on condition that you were not to spend it in drink, and I can distinctly smell liquor on you." **Dead-house Dan**—"Lady, I am the victim of cruel circumstances. I found a bottle containin' wot appeared ter me ter be worter. Wot was my 'orror, lady, to find arter drinkin' of it all, that it were whisky!"

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GOOD HEARERS ARE WANTED IN CHURCHES

Rev. J. G. Inkster Commences Series of Sermons on Parables With 'Sower and Soil'

Rev. John Gibson Inkster, in the First Presbyterian church yesterday, began a series of practical, popular, expository sermons on "The Parables of Our Lord." Last evening his subject was "The Parable of the Sower," the words of his text being "Take heed how ye hear." From this Mr. Inkster preached a powerful sermon to a large congregation.

This parable and its lesson were addressed, not to the preachers in the pulpit, but to the people in the pews. It taught the multitude how to hear. The people to whom Christ spoke these words were many in numbers and morally asleep. Hence He cried, "Beware how ye hear," for, as the growth of seed did not depend on the art of the sower but on the quality of the soil, so the effect of the Gospel did not depend so much on the eloquence of the preacher as on the attention of the hearer.

In all colleges there were lectures telling students how to preach. A few pointed talks telling the people how to hear were needed. The majority had forgotten or lost the fine art of hearing. There was need to reiterate the words of Christ, "Take heed how ye hear."

Just as there were certain kinds of soil in which seed could not grow, so there were certain classes of people who came to church and listened to the Gospel, but made no use of it. For example, there were wayside hearers, whose hearts were made so hard by listening to sermons, or, it might be, their hearts were so hardened by the immoral effect of evil habits that no sermon in the world could make any impression. The sneers of the godless man of business or the society butterfly, entirely nullified the effect of the sermon. There were also "thorny" hearers, who heard and understood the Truth, but prosperity killed it. The world was too much for their religion. They too were fruitless, worse than useless Christians, for they misrepresented religion.

But there were a few good hearers. The proportion was one to three. These good hearers were genuine. They listened to purpose. They meditated on what they heard. Such hearers were needed in these days when much of the intellectual pabulum was dished up in the papers, magazines and books in such a way that people did not need to exercise the powers of their minds. Mr. Inkster urged his hearers to get hold of a bit of good stiff reading, just to keep the slumbering mind awake.

The last thing which the good hearer did with a sermon, the minister explained, was to obey. As the great Thomas Chalmers would have said: "They hear the gospel and proceed upon it."

NO CASE AGAINST HIM

Magistrate Adjourns Charge Against Arthur Taddie Until Permission for Withdrawal is Obtained.

On remand on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Frederick Houchen, Arthur Taddie appeared before Magistrate Jay in the police court this morning and was again remanded this time on his own recognizances.

In taking up the case City Prosecutor Harrison said that in view of the evidence given before the coroner there was nothing to warrant continuing with the charge at all. Without a shadow of doubt the testimony given at the inquest completely exonerated Taddie from any part in the death of the victim of the accident, and he recommended the withdrawal of the charge.

Magistrate Jay replied that such a course would be impossible without the consent of the attorney-general, and a remand until Wednesday was ordered to give J. S. Brandon, counsel for Taddie, an opportunity to get into touch with the department.

NEW POPE ELECTED BY SACRED COLLEGE OF CARDINALS

Above is shown the new Pope elected by the Sacred College of Cardinals to succeed the late Pope Pius X. He will reign under the name of Benedict XV. The new Pope was Cardinal Giacomo della Chiesa, Archbishop of Belogna, Italy, and was assistant to Merry del Val, Secretary of State under Pius X. He is sixty years old. He was born at Pegli, in the diocese of Genes, November 21, 1854, and was ordained a priest on December 21, 1878. He was made a cardinal on May 23 of this year.

This most persistent lover seemed to make no progress whatever with the object of his affection; she gave him no apparent encouragement. Finally he said "My dear Gertrude, can you give me no hope—none whatever?" "No, my dear boy, I cannot; not one speck of hope—for I am going to marry you."

Tailor—"The postal service is in a wretched condition." Friend—"Never noticed it." "Well, I have. During last month I posted one hundred and eighty statements of account with requests for immediate payment, and, so far as I can learn, not more than two of my customers received their letters."

Once while travelling some distance by rail, Victor Hugo fell into conversation with a stranger who entertained the great author with much egotistical talk. The author of "Les Miserables," having arrived at his destination, was about to leave the train, when the stranger said: "You may, perhaps, like to know who I am. I am Victor Hugo." "How odd!" remarked the real Hugo; "so am I."

SAYS SURRENDER MUST BE COMPLETE

London Visitor Declares Kaiserbund Must Be Broken Into Million Fragments

That the tide has turned and is now flowing back with irresistible force towards the German frontier is the opinion of L. G. Bell, a London visitor now at the Empress hotel.

"It is going to be a fight to a finish," he declared, "and while we all believe the war will take a long time and will mean a sacrifice of some of the best blood of both the Motherland and the Dominions, we have no fear as to the ultimate end.

"The stain which militarism has left on Europe has got to be purged and its menace removed for all time. Only by smashing up the Kaiserbund into a million little bits can this be accomplished. The general feeling in the British Isles is that the only terms on which war can be concluded is the Germans' absolute surrender. This is not a fight for national supremacy, but for the lives and liberties of the British people.

"There is tremendous enthusiasm in the British Isles over the war, such as even the greybeards say was never before experienced. No chances are being taken and practically every church and large building anywhere near the sea front has been commandeered by the military, and quick-firing guns have been mounted on the steeples, while the churches themselves are being used as barracks for soldiers and supplies.

"Kitchener has ordered trenches dug around London in case of supreme necessity, though every man, woman and child has such profound faith in the navy that such a precaution did not excite any anxiety. The hopes and belief of the people generally are so centred on the navy as the sure bulwark of the defence of Britain that perhaps not enough attention is being given to the wonderful deeds of that other branch of the Empire's service now holding the right wing of the allied forces with traditional bulldog steadiness and tenacity.

"Practically every horse of any capacity whatever has been commandeered, and the milkmen have to carry their cans around by hand. The boy scouts are also doing good work everywhere under the control of General Baden-Powell and have made themselves tremendously useful in carrying messages and assisting the Territorials so far as their capacity allows them.

"The east and south coasts form one long line of almost impregnable fortifications. It is doubtful to me that even if the Germans did break through our fleet and bring their transports with them, whether they would ever effect a landing so close is the strong network of defence drawn.

"Through everything, from the whole construction of defence and attack to the smallest detail of equipment runs the thread of Kitchener's splendid efficiency. The preparations for fresh contingents for the front are stamped clear with his seal. 'Teach them to shoot,' is his command, and whether they can advance in close formation or not, or whether they have the faintest glimmering of strategy or not, the next expeditionary force will at least have one strong asset—its ability to shoot straight and quickly."

CUMBERLAND WINS TROPHY

Championship of Island Volunteer Fire Departments Changes Hands; Results of Competitions.

Cumberland fire department won the championship of Vancouver Island at the competition for volunteer fire departments at Alberni on Wednesday. The results were:

Dry Test—Cumberland 40½ seconds; Alberni 42½ seconds.

Wet Test—Cumberland 39 seconds; Alberni 42½ seconds.

Breaking Hose Line—Cumberland, 1 min. 5 sec.; Alberni, 1 min. 14½ sec. The winning of these events gave Cumberland the perpetual challenge cup, presented by the Canadian Pipe company, Vancouver.

Hub-and-Hub—Cumberland, 28½ sec.; Alberni, 28 3-5 sec.

Ladder Climbing or Dummy-Handling Contest—1, Alf. Drinkwater, of Alberni team, 27½ sec.; 2, Joe Drinkwater, of Alberni team, 29 sec.; 3, A. Thompson, of Cumberland team, 32½ sec.

Tug-of-War—Full team of ten men on each side; won by Alberni in two straight heats. First, 45 sec.; second, 32½ sec.

Swimming Contest—Won by F. Hurford, Cumberland; S. Heaslip, Alberni, second.

220 Yards Dash—Won by D. Bannerman, Cumberland, 28 1-5 sec.; second, F. Slaughter, Cumberland; third, J. W. Heaslip, Alberni.

100 Yards Dash—Won by D. Bannerman, Cumberland, 10 4-5 sec.; second, J. Bannerman, Cumberland; third; J. W. Heaslip, Alberni.

An association of the volunteer fire departments was formed at a meeting.

NATURALIZATION REFUSED

Six Germans, One Austrian and One Hungarian Denied Canadian Citizenship.

Naturalization as citizens of Canada was refused by Judge Lampman this morning to six Germans, one Austrian and one Hungarian on the ground that they were subjects of countries at war with the British empire. These eight applications were interspersed among 61 applications from natives of the following other countries: United States, Italy, France, Russia, Norway, Sweden, Montenegro, Japan and China. Natives of the United States were the most numerous, totalling nine.

Counsel appeared for all of the applicants from countries with which the British empire is at war. Judge Lampman asked that all these cases be called at once and then announced that applications made since August 4, when war was declared, would not be granted. A. J. Patton stated that one of his clients had applied on August 3, but his honor ruled that case out too.

J. Percival Walls, counsel for another applicant, stated that the Vancouver county court had referred all such cases to the secretary of state and his honor said that if an order-in-council were issued he would be bound by it. The present order-in-council was that natives of the three countries mentioned were to report to the police once a month.

His honor announced that all the applications involved were to be stood over until next month and so on from month to month until the war was over. Then if they were still of the same mind their applications would be considered.

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Along the River of Doubt

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

MANILA FREIGHT ON IXION REQUISITIONED

Foodstuffs in Far East Advance Rapidly in Price During War

Upon the arrival of the big Blue Funnel liner Ixion, Capt. Reipenhausen, at Manila, Philippine Islands, during the middle of last month from Victoria and Puget Sound ports, her huge shipment of flour and canned goods consigned to the merchants of that city was requisitioned by the Hongkong government. Advices to that effect have just been received here from the Orient and state that following the announcement of the requisitioning there was considerable consternation in Manila.

Prices of foodstuffs in the Philippines have increased materially since the declaration of war. Tinned milk has advanced 50 per cent., and there appears but little sign of relief, owing to the few ships which are running between this coast and the Orient. According to news from Hongkong prices took phenomenal skyward jumps. Flour went up 50 per cent. in two days and in the same period sugar ascended 100 per cent. All payments are required on the gold basis and tourists are reported to be having considerable difficulty in leaving the place.

Manila's Trade Spoiled.

Manila is not only suffering from the advance in the cost of foodstuffs, but is without market quotations on hemp and copra. No exportations can be made and stocks of copra on hand are spoiling in the warehouses. Owing to the fears of a rice shortage the United States army transports now at Manila and the Philippine cable ship Rizal are to be placed in the rice-carrying trade, with Saigon as the port of supply.

Simultaneously with the declaration of war by Germany on France and Russia, the German government, the Japanese Times states, sent telegraphic instructions to all German vessels in Far Eastern ports or voyaging about Asiatic seas, to hasten to Tsingtau, and chartered them as government transports. At the same time all cargoes on board those vessels, regardless of whether they belonged to Germans or others, were confiscated by the German authorities at Tsingtau. A number of Japanese merchants suffered the consequence of this extraordinary step and already means are being studied for the recovery of the damages inflicted on them. Even if those cargoes be recovered after a peaceful or hostile transfer of Tsingtau from Germany to Japan, Germany will be held responsible for what loss it has caused Japanese merchants. In ordinary circumstances the Japanese foreign office would file a protest with the German authorities. The amount of damage will be decided after the delivery of Tsingtau or at the peace conference.

TO BE PANAMA PILOT.

Capt. John Griffiths, master of the steamship Admiral Dewey on her voyage from New York to Seattle, one of the best known navigators on the Pacific Coast, has resigned his position with the Pacific Alaska Navigation company to accept a berth as Panama canal pilot for the government. He will leave immediately for Balboa.

BELLEROPHON USED TO CONVEY SOLDIERS

Blue Funnel Liner Taken by Imperial Authorities; Calchas Coming

Among the vessels which are transporting the British troops across to France is the Blue Funnel liner Bellerophon, Capt. Rebb. News has just been received by the local agents of the fleet stating that the well-known steamship had been taken over by the imperial government. Arrangements have been completed to have the liner Calchas dispatched to Victoria and Puget Sound ports from Liverpool. The Bellerophon was scheduled to sail from the Mersey on August 14, and it is understood that the Calchas put to sea somewhere around that date. The Calchas will pay her maiden voyage to this port. She is smaller than the ships at present plying here, being of but 4,279 tons.

The Bellerophon arrived at Liverpool from this coast on July 10 and was loading cargo for her outward trip when war commenced. She is a fast vessel, being able to make 15 knots, and as a result of the number of men she could accommodate below she would make a very suitable troopship.

The taking of the Bellerophon makes the second Blue Funnel ship to be taken over by the imperial authorities since the outbreak of the European war. The Protesilaus was also retained.

Royal Mail Ships Taken.

The imperial authorities are reported to have taken two more Victoria traders for war duties. The Royal Mail Steam Packet company's liners Cardiganshire, Capt. Warner, and Carnarvonshire, Capt. Bolland, have been withdrawn from service, and are now steaming under orders from the admiralty. The Carnarvonshire was requisitioned while at Hongkong, outward bound from Puget Sound to Liverpool. She was dispatched immediately to Calcutta, where it is reported she will take on board a large detachment of Indian troops now being mobilized for service on the continent.

The Cardiganshire was requisitioned while at Antwerp loading cargo for her outward voyage to Victoria. It is expected that she will enter the same service as the Bellerophon.

RICART DE SOLER DROPS ANCHORS AT TOWNSEND

Port Townsend, Sept. 14.—The barquentine Amazon, with 1,200,000 feet of lumber loaded at Bellingham for Callao, was towed here on Saturday to sign a crew and clear.

Seventy-five days from Napier, the schooner H. D. Bendixsen has arrived and will proceed to Seattle to dock and clean. She will load lumber on the Sound for Plymouth, New Zealand.

The Chilean barque Ricart de Soler arrived Saturday from Iquique. She will load lumber at Port Ludlow for Valparaiso.

ELIZA LIHN ARRIVES OUT.

After a 71-day run from Cape Flattery the Chilean barque Eliza Lihn, Capt. Pundt, arrived at Sydney, Aust., on September 7, a fair outward run. She carried a cargo of lumber loaded at Everett, Wash.

MAKURA EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN TO-MORROW

Green Liner May Have Been Held at Honolulu; No News of Movements

Although the Canadian-Australian liner Makura, Capt. Phillips, is due to dock here to-morrow morning from the Antipodes, no word has been received of her since she cleared from Sydney, N. S. W. It is presumed that she departed from Honolulu on time last Tuesday. The officials of the line, however, have refrained from publishing anything relative to the movements of the ship so that the ears of adversaries might not be informed.

The Makura has a proud reputation of always making this port on schedule time and although she may have had to pursue a more round-about way in coming up the Pacific, her extra two knots would help her to avoid a delay in making Victoria. The Marama, the last Australian boat to arrive, avoided the usual track between Suva and Honolulu on the advice of the naval authorities and lost about a day's time. The Marama, however, does not possess any reserve speed and could not regain the time. She was held several days at Honolulu while some word was received of the whereabouts of the German cruisers in the North Pacific.

If the Leipzig and Nuernberg are as speedy as they are reported, shipping men point out that it is peculiar that they have not made a haul before this. British tramp steamships unable to make better than 10 knots an hour, and big passenger steamships have succeeded in coming into different ports along the coast without even as much as sighting the cruisers. If they are keeping a sharp lookout to try and cripple commerce on the Pacific the work so far accomplished by the cruisers does not speak very highly of the ability of the officers on board to intercept British craft.

The local agents of the Canadian-Australian line expect the Makura to dock here to-morrow. She may, however, have been delayed at Honolulu, in which case the time of her arrival is problematical.

LOCAL CAPTAIN SAID TO BE WITH LEIPZIG

Report Says He Joined German Cruiser While She Was at San Francisco

There is a report in circulation along the waterfront to-day to the effect that a mariner who for many years has sailed out of this port has joined the German cruiser Leipzig and is informing the commander of the enemy's craft of the nature of the British Columbia coast-line. The captain came here from Germany in the early days of the sealing industry and for some years was engaged in the coastwise steamship business.

The report current to-day states that the skipper joined the Leipzig while she was at San Francisco. If this rumor is correct the commander of the German war vessel has at his disposal some very useful information. The captain reported to be on board the Leipzig knows this port very well and is familiar with all points about the coast hereabouts. The skipper in question has not been seen in Victoria or Vancouver for some time and this is quoted as adding significance to the report that he has joined the German cruiser.

MINNESOTA BRINGS CARGO VALUED AT $10,000,000

Seattle, Sept. 14.—The Great Northern steamship Minnesota arrived in Seattle yesterday with a $10,000,000 cargo, the most valuable she has ever carried and the most valuable ever brought into the port of Seattle on a single vessel. The cargo weighed 10,000 tons, which is also a record for Seattle. She also brought a cabin list of 203 passengers.

The big steamship was thirteen days and seven hours making the passage from Yokohama to Seattle, encountering favorable weather all the way. Purser Henderson, who is closely in touch with the financial side of the voyages, says that this trip was the most successful the Minnesota has ever had.

She brought with her 4,000 tons of tea valued at $5,000,000 and $2,000,000 worth of silk. With one exception this is the largest shipment of silk ever received in Seattle. It consisted of 3,115 bales of raw silk and 100 cases of silk goods. Matting and curios valued at $2,500,000 made up another 5,000 tons of the big cargo.

Her officers say that the war has not caused any great excitement in Yokohama, although that is the naval base of the Japanese fleet. The city is under martial law and no one was allowed to shore from any of the ships in the harbor after nightfall. Except for the sight of a British fleet which came in for coal and one wary little torpedo boat which went out of Yokohama harbor each morning and returned each evening the Minnesota's crew saw but few signs to indicate that Japan was at war.

MORE RESERVISTS TO LEAVE FOR FAR EAST

Russians and Japanese to Sail From Here To-morrow on Liner Tacoma Maru

Another contingent of Russian and Japanese reservists will leave Victoria to-morrow afternoon on the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Tacoma Maru, Capt. Hamada, which sails for Yokohama and Hongkong. All the steerage accommodation allotted to R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents of the line, was sold out last week and this morning they wired the head office in Tacoma for additional berths. Cargoes to the Orient are very heavy at the present time and it is not likely that any of the freight space in the 'tween decks will be reserved for passengers. There will be about 150 men to join the Tacoma Maru at this port.

Most of the Russians who will join the Tacoma Maru here to-morrow are from the colony located some distance from Vancouver. They will go as far as the port of Yokohama, then cross Japan to Shimoneski and sail for Vladivostok by steamer. The Japanese reservists are for the most part fishermen who have been working at the canneries during the salmon season which has just closed. Several groups of reservists have already crossed the Pacific to help their nations in the great war and it is expected that many more men will head from this coast for the Orient in the next month.

Panama Going Through.

The steamship Panama Maru, Capt. Kanao, of the Osaka fleet, which is due to arrive on the Sound from Hongkong and Yokohama on Thursday, will proceed direct to Tacoma, omitting the call at Victoria. She will be the last of the Osaka boats to steam past this port. The directors have ordered the Seattle Maru, Capt. Saito, which succeeds the Panama, to call at Victoria. She is due to arrive here on October 1.

Big cargoes are being carried by the Japanese liners on both their inward and outward voyages. The Tacoma Maru will have her holds jammed full of freight when she sails to-morrow and the Panama Maru is steaming very deep on her inward voyage.

WELL KNOWN LINER CARRIES BRITISH SOLDIERS TO CONTINENT

S. S. BELLEROPHON

ROSALIA FORSAKES THE BRITISH FLAG

Seattle, Sept. 14.—"We raised the Stars and Stripes over the taffrail of our vessel at 8 o'clock this morning," said Capt. Evans Jones, of the British steamship Santa Rosalia, of the Maple line, to-day. "We will sign on a crew under the American laws late to-day at the offices of the United States shipping commissioner."

The Santa Rosalia, a fine vessel operated by the Isthumian Steamship Co., Ltd., has been lying in Seattle harbor since August 5. Her owners were afraid to send her to sea for fear that she would be seized by German cruisers prowling in Pacific waters.

On Wednesday afternoon, flying the United States flag, she will steam from this port for San Francisco, Santa Rosalia, Mexico; Swansea, Wales, and Avonmouth, England.

"You might say," said Capt. Jones last night, "that the Santa Rosalia will soon have an American skipper. I have taken out my first papers and will not be satisfied until I am an American citizen."

The Santa Rosalia will load barley and general cargo at San Francisco and copper matte at Santa Rosalia, for Swansea and Avonmouth.

He—"And, Judge, she's lost a lot of my money playing bridge." She—"Don't believe him, Judge. I don't know a thing about the game." He—"That's right, Judge."

LEEBRO SAILS NORTH

Early this morning the lighthouse tender Leebro, Capt. Hunter, left Victoria on a cruise as far north as Milbank sound. She will establish a lighted beacon on White Rock, Milbank sound and another on Kingcombe point, McKay reach. She will land stores and supplies at all the lighthouses en route.

PRESIDENT ARRIVES

The Pacific Coast steamship President, Capt. Geo. Zeh, is due to arrive at the outer docks this afternoon at 4 o'clock. She is coming in from San Diego, San Pedro and San Francisco. The President has a good list of passengers and a full cargo. She will discharge 136 tons of freight here.

"The only objection I have to golf," said Miss Cayenne, "is that it sometimes becomes a trifle wearisome." "But you don't play the game." "No. But I have a friend who talks about it continuously."

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Sept. 13.

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Eureka, Seattle; str. Falcon, Port Angeles. Sailed: Str. Eureka, Guaymas.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Willamette, Puget Sound; str. Admiral Farragut, Seattle; str. Mary Olson, Tacoma. Sailed: Str. F. S. Loop, Puget Sound; str. Rainier, Puget Sound; str. Captain A. F. Lucas, Seattle; str. Lurline, Seattle.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Thode Fagelund, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Congress, Seattle.

Aberdeen, Wash. — Arrived: Str. Francis H. Leggett, San Francisco.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Breakwater, Coos Bay; str. Thomas L. Wand, Skagway; str. William F. Herrin, Monterey.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Minnesota, Manila via Hongkong and Yokohama; str. Santa Rita, Port San Luis; str. Admiral Watson, San Francisco; str. Congress, Everett and Tacoma; strs. Seward, Port Blakeley. Sailed: Str. Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; Thode Fagelund, Tacoma; Monmouthshire, Portland; Seward, Port Blakeley.

A tall, gaunt-looking man entered a hotel not long ago and applied for a room. The price he was willing to pay entitled him to lodgings on the top floor of the house. Among his belongings the proprietor noticed a coil of rope. Upon being asked what the rope was for the man replied: "That's a fire-escape. I always carry it with me, and in case of fire I let myself down from the window." "Yes," replied the landlord, stroking his chin reflectively, "seems like a pretty good idea; but guests with fire-escapes pay in advance at this hotel."

A certain major in the Philippines managed in some way always to get leave just before trouble with the natives was due. His colonel suspected him of having no stomach for fighting. "Some day," remarked the colonel, "they'll want to give that fellow a decoration, and I'll suggest one. It will be a wreath of leaves of absence."

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Epsom	Hill	2,970	(Rails, C.N.R.)	In Magellan Straits	
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 15
Panama Maru	Kanoa	3,760	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 17
Natal	——	2,450	Gardner Johnson	Antwerp	Sept. 20
Sowwell	Evans	2,432	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney, C.B.	Sept. 23
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,840	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 23
Talthybius	Allan	6,500	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Sept. 26
Historian	Llewellyn	4,455	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Monteagle	Douglas	3,900	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 3
Don of Aldie	Heeming	3,480	F. D. & B.	Hull	Oct. 9
Niagara	Rolls	7,582	C. P. R.	Sydney	Oct. 13
Gladstone	Jonassen	3,087	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney, C.B.	Oct. 15
Cardiganshire	Warner	5,240	F. D. & B.	Hull	Oct. 30
Arna	Michelson	3,250	B. W. Greer	New York	Nov. 1
Brasilia	——	4,258	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Nov. 15

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Tacoma Maru, R.P.Rithet, H'gk'g. Sept. 15
Crown of Seville, F.D. & B., Liv'l. Sept. 20
Aki Maru, G. N., Hongkong Sept. 22
Makura, C.P.R., Australia Sept. 30
Teucer, Dodwell, Liverpool Sept. 30
Empress of India, C.P.R., H'gk'g. Oct. 15
Monteagle, C.P.R., Hongkong Oct. 24
Niagara, C.P.R., Sydney Oct. 28

SAILERS COMING.

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.
Birkdale, British barque, from Barry, Wales, for Esquimalt, with coal.
Carrier Dove, American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Esquimalt for repairs.
Columbia, American schooner, from Salaverry, Peru, for Royal Roads. To load lumber at Vancouver for Australia.
David Evans, British schooner, from Japan for Royal Roads (lying at Astoria).

COASTING VESSELS.

From Northern Ports.
Princess May, C.P.R., Skagway... Sept. 14
Camosun, U.S.S., Bella Coola..... Sept. 16
Prince John, G.T.P., P. Rupert ... Sept. 17

For Northern Ports.
Camosun, U.S.S., Bella Coola..... Sept. 16
Prince John, G.T.P., P. Rupert ... Sept. 17
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SPORTING NEWS

MINORS OBJECT TO NEW RULE CHANCE DROPPED BY FARRELL

Cub Leader Could Not Make Good in New York; Nye to Play for All-Stars

Frank Chance's retirement as manager of the New York American league club will not come as a surprise to those who have been following the forces of the ex-Cub manager of late. Chance has certainly not made good in the American league, and there is every reason to believe that he is through as a baseball magnate. Failure to produce a first division club after two years' effort means that he must go. He will also have to account for the numerous baseball stars that he allowed to slip through his hands.

Chance was given a free rein at New York, yet he complained in a statement on Saturday that the club owners would not spend money to build up a club. Owner Farrell's reply is that Chance will be relieved of the management of the Yankees, and possibly Ed. Sweeney, the veteran backstop, may be given an opportunity to handle the club.

The Seattle ball team will play an all-star team, composed of members of the Vancouver team, a series of seven games at Seattle, commencing tomorrow, with a double-header on Sunday. Bill Nye will play second base for Vancouver and Coltrin will play short for Seattle. The personnel of the Vancouver team will be Hall, Harsted, Doty, Clark, Check, Grindle, Hunt, Shaw, Heister, Wotell, Brinker, Ruthers and Nye. Nye will play second and Hunt first. The Seattle team will play as now constituted, except Raymond, at second, and Coltrin, at short.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 14.—That the National Association of Minor leagues will not submit to the recent ruling alleged to have been promulgated by the national commission which calls for pay for players drafted only when they report for practice in the following spring became known here from official Southern league sources, although the men giving the information asked, for reasons best known to themselves, that their names be withheld from publication for the present.

Men in a position to know here claim that the minor leagues cannot submit to this, as it will lay every man drafted by a big league club liable to the Federal league tentacles.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—Shortstop Bob Fisher, of the Toronto International league team, has been drafted by the Chicago National league club.

OUT OF JOB

FRANK CHANCE

Well known baseball manager, who has been deposed as manager of the New York American League club. Chance led the Chicago Cubs to four pennants but could not win in the American league.

BEES DISBAND AND RETURN TO HOMES

Victoria Closed Season Yesterday With Victory Over Champion Beavers

The Bees wound up the season at Bellingham yesterday when they defeated the Beavers 2 to 1 in ten innings. This morning Secretary Graham returned home and announced that the club had disbanded. Hoffman and Calvo rejoin the Los Angeles club this week in the south, while the remaining men will scatter to their homes. McHenry, Driscoll, Narveson, Nye and Bobby Steel are in the capital to-day, but all with the exception of Steele, who lives here, will leave to-night. Owner Kingham leaves for Seattle this afternoon to attend the league meeting at the Sound City to-night.

Bellingham, Wn., Sept. 14.—Victoria and Vancouver met here yesterday for the final game of the season, going ten innings, with the score 2 to 1 for Victoria. Clark and Smith met in a great pitchers' battle, this being the main feature of the game. Lamb sent one over the right-field fence in the third inning for a home run. Vancouver waited until the ninth to tie the score, but Victoria soon ended the contest in the tenth by scoring one and retiring the Beavers in rapid order.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Victoria	2	11	3
Vancouver	1	6	0

Batteries—Smith and Cunningham; Clark and Grindell.

Spokane, Wn., Sept. 14.—Coveleski's two-base hit with the bases full, scoring three runs, and Wuffli's home-runner immediately following, gave Spokane five runs in the second inning and overcame Seattle's first inning lead of four runs, enabling Spokane to win the final game of the series here yesterday.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	6	12	2
Spokane	8	11	1

Batteries—Gipe and Huhn; Tozer, Coveleski and Shea.

Seattle, Wn., Sept. 14.—Tacoma won the first game here yesterday 1 to 0, and Ballard won the second 5 to 1. The games marked the close of the baseball season here. Score:

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	1	9	1
Ballard	0	4	1

Batteries—McGinnity and Stevens; Leonard and Murray.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	1	5	2
Ballard	5	11	1

Batteries—Kaufman and Stevens; Berry and Murray.

RUGBY OPENS.

Stanford University, Sept. 14.—The rugby football season of 1914 was ushered in Saturday on Stanford field with a double victory by the collegians. The varsity fifteen defeated the Olympic club team of San Francisco by a score of 17 to 0, while the Cardinal freshmen took the measure of the Mission high school 60 to 0. The new system of scoring four points for a try and one point for a conversion was used.

GOTHAM CLUB WINS.

Baltimore, Sept. 14.—The Irish-American Athletic club, of New York, on Saturday won the senior championships of the National Amateur Athletic union at Homewood field, scoring 61 points. Other leading clubs were the New York Athletic club, 31 points; Chicago Athletic association, 25 and Boston Athletic association 24 points.

O'LEARY WAS FOULED IN SATURDAY'S BOUT

There is now a possibility that Johnny O'Leary and Joe Bayley will be brought together at Brighouse arena. Saturday's bout between O'Leary and Sally Salvatore saw the champion retaining his honors when Salvatore fouled him. The mainland fight fans would like to see Bayley in action once more as he held O'Leary to a draw six weeks ago in a battling contest.

O'Leary successfully defended his title at the Brighouse arena, Vancouver, Saturday afternoon. He was awarded the decision in the ninth round on a foul from Solly Salvadore.

The Seattle fighter had the affair all the way when the blow came that gave him the fight. Every round was his. In the second and in the third he knocked his opponent down for six and four seconds, respectively, and in the sixth he had Salvadore staggering and apparently almost out.

The two men were mixing it in O'Leary's corner in the ninth when Salvadore hit the Seattle man low. The referee immediately stopped the bout.

INTERNATIONAL MEET AT TORONTO FAIR

Toronto, Sept. 14.—The annual track and field sports were held on Saturday at the Toronto exhibition, the principal results being as follows: 15-mile marathon—1, A. L. Jamieson, Hamilton; 2, Jas. A. Dellow, Eatonia A. C.; 3, Cook of Stratford; time, 1.25.24 4-5. 100 yards final—1, A. E. Robinson, Detroit; 2, H. McGavin, Broadview; 3, R. F. Morse, Buffalo; time, 9.4-5. One mile invitation bicycle race—1, Harry Kaiser, New York; 2, Spencer, Toronto; 3, D. MacDougall, New York; time, 2.27 1-5. One mile novice running race—1, Mattie Hannuen, Finnish club; 2, Jas. Tressider, Hamilton; 3, Chas. Harnos, Central Y. M. C. A.; time, 4.41 3-5. 1,000 yards special race—1, Jack Tressider, Central; 2, Hec. Phillips, West End; 3, Jack Tait, West End; time, 2.18 4-5.

BOWLING MEETING.

To-morrow night at the Arcade alleys the City league bowling schedule will be started when the Shortt, Hill & Duncan sextette will roll the Wholesalers. A meeting will be held this week, when officers will be elected. The entry list will be left open for one week longer. Entries received to date are as follows: Shortt, Hill & Duncan, Wholesalers, Outlaws, Sons of Scotland, Elks club, E. & N. Work Shop, Princess theatre and Barbers' union.

REMAINS IN EAST.

New Westminster, Sept. 14.—Doughey Spring will spend the winter in the East, according to word received here. Spring will again be seen on the Torontos' lineup next year, his work this season having been effective enough to assure him a permanent job, summer and winter, in the Good City.

BATTING LEADERS IN NORTHWESTERN

Frisk, Neighbors and Swain are closely bunched in the race for the Northwestern League batting honors. The Norseman leads by a couple of points. The leaders are:

	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Tozer, Spokane	25	2	9	.360
Reuther, Vancouver	82	11	30	.341
Frisk, Spokane	545	67	174	.319
Neighbors, Tacoma	529	66	168	.317
Swain, Seattle	529	84	164	.315
Hogan, Spokane	424	56	134	.313
Gipe, Seattle	129	10	39	.302
Lamb, Victoria	492	61	104	.211
Huhn, Seattle	477	56	139	.291
Boeckel, Tacoma	301	42	87	.289
Arlett, Spokane	67	6	19	.285
McCarl, Vancouver	581	73	164	.282
Wotell, Vancouver	429	61	120	.280
Driscoll, Victoria	208	30	57	.275
Calvo, Victoria	367	58	106	.261
Delmas, Victoria	323	36	82	.252
Narveson, Victoria	92	11	23	.250
Kelly, Victoria	422	44	104	.246
Nye, Victoria	531	70	115	.217

FIFTH CLUB MAY ASK FOR FRANCHISE

Wests Sign Up Rainbow Soccer Stars; Empires Shut Out Garrison

It is just possible that a fifth senior club will make a belated application for admission to the V. F. A. at Wednesday's meeting at that body. The balance of the schedule for the senior and intermediate leagues will be offered, though the officers of the V. F. A. would like further entries in the senior division. The registration of players is sure to produce several surprises. Jack Youson signed four new men of the Rainbow eleven Saturday, including Pidswell, McPherson, Wedgewood and Jones, all of whom showed exceptional ability. The Thistles have signed up Archie Muir and may sign Taylor. Howland is also with that team.

The Wests opened the season with a 4 to 0 win over the Rainbow team at the Canteen grounds on Saturday. The former City league champions showed up with a majority of their veterans in line, Prevost marking his work on the line by scoring a couple of goals. The teams: Rainbow—Rowntree; Jones and Howe; Yates, Wedgewood and Kingston; Boyle, Jessop, Jenkins, Pidswell and Crosier. Victoria West—Robertson, Whyte and Boulton; Stewart, Petticrew and Okell; Sherratt, Plump, Youson, Baker, Prevost, Watson, James and S. Stewart.

Empires won from the Garrison, 4 to 0. The winners had plenty of speed and a nice combined attack. Smith, Hampton, Tunnycliffe and Nash, were the goal-getters. Next Saturday the Empires will meet the newly-organized Fairfield eleven.

Thistles and Bays hooked up in a close and interesting encounter, the former club winning 2 to 1. Muir and Howland scored for the Thistles, Totty registering the Bays' lone tally.

All the soccer clubs in the British Isles have come forward in a sound practical way by handing over to the Prince of Wales' national relief fund all the gate money received from the large crowds who attended the practice games, and are following this up by giving a percentage of the gate receipts from all the league games until the war is ended. The Scottish Football association set a fine example by forwarding a cheque for $5,000, and the Rugby union and Marlebone cricket club have each contributed $1,250.

HORSES SAFE.

London, Sept. 14.—Herman B. Duryea, the American turfman, has been advised that Durbar II., t is year's Epsom Derby winner, and Shannon, the winner of several French races, are safe outside the war zone in France. Ten other valuable horses, however, are still in danger of being captured.

LAWN BOWLING.

Mr. Alexander qualified to meet Walter Chambers for the Stewart cup Saturday by defeating Mr. Nicholson at the Beacon Hill bowling greens. Dunn defeated Mowatt in the Shortt, Hill & Duncan cup, while in the "00" competition, Chambers beat Marshall and Wood defeated Dowswell.

LOCAL CLUB WON CUP ON SATURDAY

C. P. R. Ball Teams in Final Clash; Saturday's Amateur Baseball

Zarelli's brilliant twirling enabled Victoria to chalk up the first win in the annual baseball series between the Victoria and Vancouver C. P. R. teams. The locals defeated the Mainland nine 15 to 5 at the Royal Athletic park on Saturday, Zarelli whiffing fifteen of the opposing batsmen, while the Islanders batted Dunlop hard with men on the bases. In addition to holding the splendid trophy donated by Lee Mong Kow, of this city, the winners also received handsome gold stick pins presented by the donor. These were given to the members of the winning team at the banquet held at the Empress hotel on Saturday evening.

Leonard Tait, manager of the C.P.R. club, stated that it was very probable Seattle would enter a team in the series next season, the Inter-City contests having aroused considerable interest. Mrs. Jackson, wife of the manager of the Empress hotel, presented the stick pins at Saturday's banquet.

Tom McQueen's homer with the bases full at the Royal Athletic park yesterday won for the Stars over the Victoria Lacrosse club, the final count being 4 to 3. Dakers had the Star batsmen beaten until McQueen's mighty smash, the ball clearing the centre field fence for the winning counters. Balcolm and Poulin twirled for the winers.

LADY GOLFERS WILL POSTPONE SERIES

Because of the war Victoria ladies have succeeded in securing a postponement of the golf match for the Henry trophy between the Canadian and American golf teams. Mrs. Ricardo, writing for the international team she represents, the Vancouver-Victoria twenty-women team, informed Mrs. Robert Wilson, captain of the American team, composed of Seattle and Tacoma players, that the fifth match for the trophy, set for mid-October at Victoria, would have to be put off.

The response was prompt. The sister golfers of the American team appreciated the situation of their opponents in the big trophy fight and accepted the conditions, agreeing to resume the competition at the pleasure of the Canadians.

In the four matches already played for the Henry trophy the Canadian won at Victoria in the opening match and lost at Tacoma and at Seattle and tied in the last match in Seattle, the latter affair having been staged just ahead of the recent Pacific Northwest championship tournament.

For the first time in three years Chick Evans failed to win the gold medal for the low score in the national amateur championship. For the first time in five years he was not a semi-finalist. In four years he has won two gold medals, one silver and two bronze medals.

COMPLETE RESULTS OF ENGLISH SOCCER

London, Sept. 14.—The following are the results of Saturday's league football games played on the grounds of the first mentioned club:

Second Division.

Woolwich Arsenal 3, Fulham 0; Birmingham 2, Barnsley 0; Blackpool 3, Bury 4; Bristol 4, Preston North End 0; Clapton Orient 3, Stockport County 0; Derby County 3, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1; Grimsby Town 1, Leicester Fosse 0; Hudderfield Town 4, Notts Forest 0; Leeds City 2, Hull City 3; Lincoln City 2, Glossop 1.

Southern League.

Gillingham 1, Cardiff City 1; Crystal Palace 0, Brighton and Hove Albion 2; Norwich City 3, Exeter City 1; Westham United 3, Luton 0; Plymouth Argyl 2, Portsmouth 1; Watford 3, Swindon Town 0; Northampton 1, Southend United 0; Southampton 3, Queen's Park Rangers 0; Reading 0, Milwell Athletics 2; Croydon 0, Bristol Rovers 3.

First Division.

Blackburn Rovers 4, Oldham Athletic 1; Manchester United 0, Bradford City 2; Bolton Wanderers 2, Tottenham Hotspurs 2; Chelsea 0, Newcastle United 3; Everton 2, Middlesborough 3; Manchester City 1, Burnley 0; Notts County 1, Bradford 2; Sheffield Wednesday 5, Aston Villa 2; Sunderland 2, Liverpool 2; West Bromwich Albion 1, Sheffield United 1.

BILLIARD REFEREE.

New York, Sept. 14.—Announcement was made by Robert B. Benjamin, manager of the world's championship billiard match between "Willie" Hoppe of New York and Melbourne Inman of England, which is to be played at the Astor hotel, beginning on September 28, of the selection of the two referees of the match. The referee of the American games between the experts will be Chas. Cutler, of New York, and the referee of the English games will be Leonard Howison, one of the best known billiard experts of Montreal.

DROPPED BIG ROLL.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—According to an announcement from the International league headquarters on Saturday the league as a whole has dropped $200,000 on the season, and some big changes are contemplated for next season. The franchises of Baltimore and Jersey City are certain to be moved and in all probability Syracuse will secure one of them.

MONTREAL FEDERALS.

Montreal, Sept. 14.—It was announced Saturday that the Canadian A. C. which has teams in the Canadian hockey league will have a baseball team in the Federal league next season. Toronto is also to be represented in the Federal, taking the place of Pittsburg. Montreal will take the Kansas City franc'

RUGBY UNION WILL CONSIDER REORGANIZING

It is expected that at least three clubs will be prepared to enter teams in the Barnard Cup series this fall. A meeting of the Victoria Rugby union will be held to-night to consider the advisability of reorganing. Oak Bays have stated their intentions of forming a team, and the Welsh club and Bays will also be represented. It is suggested that the High School enter a team in the Barnard Cup series and form a four-club circuit. The Fifth Regiment will be unable to field a team, while the Wanderers and Law Students have lost a number of players through the departure of the Victoria contingent for Valcartier.

BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Victoria, 2; Vancouver, 1.
Spokane, 8; Seattle, 6.
First game: Tacoma, 1; Ballard, 0.
Second game: Tacoma, 1; Ballard, 5.

Standing.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Vancouver	96	56	.632
Seattle	95	61	.690
Spokane	84	68	.549
Victoria	64	87	.424
Tacoma	64	93	.405
Ballard	58	96	.374

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

First game: St. Louis, 4; Cincinnati, 3.
Second game: St. Louis, 3; Cincinnati, 2.
Chicago, 2; Pittsburg, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit, 4; Chicago, 3.
Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 0.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

First game: Chicago, 1; Buffalo, 0;
Second game: Chicago, 7; Buffalo, 5.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

First game: Portland, 3; Los Angeles, 7.
Second game: Portland, 0; Los Angeles, 7.
First game: Oakland, 7; San Francisco, 0. Second game: San Francisco, 9; Oakland, 5.
First game: Mission, 6; Venice, 4. Second game: Mission, 1; Venice, 8.

SPORTS CONCLUDED PLAYGROUND SEASON

Fine Weather and Big Crowd for Annual Event at Central Park

Fine weather brought out a large crowd of parents and friends to witness the third annual playground sports on Saturday afternoon, which closed the playgrounds for the season. The sports were held at Central park and almost 100 boys and girls from the two playgrounds took part in the events, 28 boys and 66 girls. The competitors were divided into classes of from under 60 pounds to over 111 for the boys, and of under 60 to over 91 in the girls' events.

The girls competed in running races of 50 to 25 yards, according to weight, high jump, baseball throwing, and broad jump, while the boys had races of 100, 50 and 25 yards, baseball throwing, broad and high jump, and potato race. Prizes were given for the events and medals to the champions who scored the highest points in both girls' and boys' sections. Robert Livingston won five firsts in boys' events and Lillian Cope with two firsts and two seconds was the leader among the girls. These two were awarded the medals, donated by the Drake Hardware company. Alderman Dilworth presented the prizes.

The prize-winners scored as follows: Girls' total points, Section A—Hilda Hinder, 10 points; Nora Belford, 8; Beatrice Pearce, 8; Gladys Graham, 5; Meta Hughes, 4; May Lewis, 1. Section B—Lillian Cope, 16 (winner of medal); Adela Malcolm, 9; Maple Winterburn, 8; Flora Towigny, 1; Ida Whiteley, 1; Julia Kick, 1. Section C—Minnie Cox, 9; Elaine Hill, 5; Norma McLeod, 5; Rosie Robertson, 5; May Cummings, 5; Grace Campbell, 4; Thelma Owen, 3. Section D—Ethel Wilson, 15; Thelma Young, 6; Barbara Campbell, 5; Nellie Williams, 4; Jean Moffat, 3; Dorothy Switzer, 1; Audrey Warburton, 1; Amy Warder, 1. Section E—Myrtle Malcolm, 13; Morinna McKinna, 10; Catherine Robertson, 6; Alberta White, 4; Marjorie Pottinger, 1; Elizabeth Campbell, 1; Elys Higginbotham, 1.

The boys' total points were won as follows: Section A—R. Livingstone, 25 (winner of boys' medal); Delbut Gosnell, 10; Earl Fleming, 7; Cecil Wynne, 3. Section B—Leon McClusky, 20; B. Cummings, 15; D. Johnson, 5; James Post, 2; Ronald Nash, 2; Frank Cope, 1. Section C—George Malcolm, 16; Alex. Moffat, 16; William Holman, 4. Section D—Edward Bassett, 18; Howard Watson, 6; G. Baker, 4; Leslie Moltram, 3; Tom Woolison, 3; W. Allan, 2. Section E—Earl Smith, 15; Alf. Atherton, 9; Charlie Johnson, 9; Robert Belford, 3.

Directors in charge of the event were: Miss R. E. Jervis, Walter Smaill and Fred Carne; referee, H. G. Beall, of the Y. M. C. A., and timekeeper, W. J. Shortt. Judges and scorers in the different sections were: A—Miss Sharp, Miss Pore, H. B. MacLean and Ira Dilworth; B—Miss Beall, Miss Sargent, J. B. McCallum, D. G. Macdonald and E. R. Hill; C—Misses Robson and Scales, N. E. Sadler; D—Miss E. Bradshaw, of the Y. W. C. A., Miss Urlin and A. A. Campbell; E—Miss Foster and M. L. Bissell, of the Y. M. C. A.

LACROSSE CLUBS PLAY FOR THE FUND

To assist the patriotic fund the Vancouver and Westminster lacrosse clubs will stage a huge benefit at Vancouver next Saturday, when the entire receipts of the exhibition match will be turned over.

The Westminster team will be selected from the following: Clark, Marshall, Patchell, Ion, T. Rennie, G. Rennie, H. Gifford, Feeney, Wintemute, B. Turnbull, G. Spring. It is expected that Cliff Spring will be back from the east in time to play.

The Vancouver team will be selected from the following: Cory Kess, Pickering, West, Griffith, Allan, Adamson, G. and E. Matheson, Crookall, Taylor, Peacock, E. Murray, B. Murray, Johnson, Painter, Davis, McCuaig, McLaren, Gunn, Donohue.

CRICKET RESULTS.

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Miss Verna Felton as Katusha in "Resurrection," which will be offered by the Allen Players at the Princes Theatre all this week.

AT THE THEATRES

ORPHEUM VAUDEVILLE.

The following from the London Times is a splendid appreciation of the Grazers, who will appear on the Orpheum programme at the Royal Victoria to-day and to-morrow:

"A pair of interesting young people open with something of a surprise. They are the Grazers. Their act is brief and might better be made longer, it is so thoroughly enjoyable. The girl is dainty, modest and pretty, and plays wonderfully on the French horn, while a still prettier young person in blonde curls and flowing petticoats presides at the piano. The piano girl dances, from her stool and executes some masterful steps in toe dancing. Then by snatching off the golden curls it is revealed that she is not a piquant, athletic girl but a youth who knows ballet dancing almost as well as Mordkin."

Harry de Coe's act has many thrills. He is a past master as a balancer. One of his tricks is to enjoy a smoke while seated on a chair that is resting on one leg and that leg on the neck of a bottle.

Sylvester Metzettis, of the Five Metzettis, turns a triple somersault in mid-air and alights on his brother's shoulders. He is known as the only man who does this.

An unusual offering is that of Chieftan Caupolican. He is an Araucano Indian, whose powerful voice was trained in Paris. The bill as a whole is excellently balanced.

"TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE."

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," with Isabelle Lowe in the role of June, comes to the Royal Victoria theatre on September 17 and 18. The play is founded on the novel by John Fox, jr. Mr. Walter, the dramatist, tells the story in four acts. The first and fourth acts are laid in the heroine's mountain home. The playwright has condensed the time of the unfolding of the romance of June Tolliver and Jack Hale, but increased the rapidity of action. The first act closes with June, the little barefoot mountain girl, on her way to school. In the second act she learns that Jack is not thinking seriously of the marriage she believed to be inevitable, and returns to the mountain. The third act thrills with the love story of June and Jack and the suppression of the feud, aided by the awakening of June to the difference between duty of love and the duty of the law.

"SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS."

"The Shepherd of the Hills," a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's "best seller" will be the attraction at the Royal Victoria theatre on Wednesday, September 16.

This story of the Ozark mountains has proved very popular in novel form and as a play it is said that its success last season has exceeded the popularity of the book.

Messrs. Gaskill and MacVitty, the producers, have given it a very beautiful scenic mounting, the mountains of the Ozarks lending themselves to the best in the scenic artist's art. The cast has been carefully selected—in fact, it is said to be unique in the matter of types.

"RESURRECTION."

An entirely remodelled theatre, fitted throughout with comfortable opera chairs; a company whose ability has been proven for years before Victoria audiences, carefully cast in a play by the great Russian genius Tolstoy abounding in unusual and thrilling situations; gorgeous uniforms and costumes; scenes of Russian prisons, forests and homes, correct to the most minute detail. All this at a price little more than that charged for a good picture show, is at the disposal of the Victoria public this week, as the Allen Players are putting on the immortal play "Resurrection."

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BUYS OWN BONDS

City of Vancouver Follows Course in Financing Adopted Here Some Years Ago.

An interesting move in municipal financing has been attempted in Vancouver. The mayor has announced that the mainland city has purchased its own local improvement bonds with its sinking fund to the extent of $400,000. In other words the city is acting as its own broker. The city officials here did that a few years ago to the extent of $250,000, but it was at a time before the city began to pull down its indebtedness at the bank.

The city treasurer points out, however, that the sinking funds are increasing again and that such a method might be adopted here again, since the city finances are to-day in a much healthier state than they were when this course was adopted before. It is regarded as a matter of an emergency character for the purpose of saving the closing down of public works by providing funds for their continuation.

City Engineer Rust said on Saturday that the policy of economy had already begun in connection with the street works and that men were being laid off for the purpose of reducing the staff. He indicated that others would have to go soon as the various streets were being finished. He regretted the course but said it was forced upon him.

PEACEFUL SUNDAY FOR MILITIA IN CAMP

Special Attention is Being Given to Markmanship, as Lord Kitchener Requested

Sunday was observed in the military camps yesterday with band concerts and divine service in the morning, the Fusiliers attending St. Paul's garrison church, the 50th Regiment having its service in camp at the Willows. The Fifth Regiment band fulfilled an engagement at Beacon Hill park in the afternoon.

Special attention is being given to rifle shooting, and a general improvement in markmanship is shown on every hand. The Clover Point range, and the miniature range at the Willows are being engaged to the utmost limit. All over the empire officers have directions to improve the capacity of their units for rifle shooting, events of the past month at the seat of war having shown the absolute necessity of accurate markmanship in an emergency.

The Orangemen of Victoria have decided that their best service to the community can be done as a home guard, and a company of that organization has been formed, with the following officers, Capt. Grimison, First Lieut. Marsh, Second Lieut. Baxter, Color Sergt. Blythe, Sergts. Painter, Payne, Henderson and Stone.

The newly organized branch of the Canadian patriotic fund held a meeting at the offices of President A. C. Flumerfelt this afternoon, for organization and selection of subcommittees. At Thursday's meeting of the Vancouver Red Cross society Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper was able to announce that over $2,000 had been sent to the headquarters of the society in Toronto as a result of personal activity in canvass by himself.

Major C. E. Doherty, of the 104th Regiment, well-known as the medical superintendent of the Coquitlam Mental home, has been appointed commander of the base hospital which will be established near the front for the first Canadian overseas contingent. The artillery section of the Vancouver volunteer reserve is now 86 strong, most of them being old soldiers.

On Friday afternoon Lieut. Pilcher, late of the Esquimalt naval station, left for England with Mrs. Pilcher, having been granted sick leave. He was accompanied by a detachment of the naval volunteers, with the cadet band, from his quarters to the 2.30 boat, the party escorting the departing officer with the band playing suitable music. Lieut. Pilcher acknowledged their kindness in a brief address at the wharf. A presentation had already been made to him, in recognition of his great activity in the organization of the volunteers.

Girlish, Wrinkle-Free Skin Easy to Have

Since its remarkable astringent and tonic properties became known, clever women all over the world have been using the saxolite face bath to "tone up" their faces, remove wrinkles and draw flabby cheeks and neck back to normal. After using the solution, the face immediately feels much firmer. The skin tightens evenly all over the face, thus reducing lines and sagginess. The formula is: Powdered saxolite, 1 oz., dissolved in witch hazel, ½ pint.

Another wonderful facial beautifier and rejuvenator that has become quite a rage in the United States, as in Europe, is mercolized wax. Druggists report a great demand. The wax literally absorbs a sallow, freckled, blotchy or withered complexion, giving the fresh, vigorous, healthy-hued young skin underneath a chance to "breathe" and to show itself. Applying the wax at night, like cold cream, washing it off mornings, will completely renovate a poor complexion in a week or ten days. One ounce usually is sufficient.

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Corporation of the District of Saanich

NOTICE

PUBLIC MEETINGS will be held during the next ten days for the purpose of discussing the By-Laws now before the electors. The meetings will be held as follows:

Cedar Hill Hall, Friday, the 11th inst., 8 p. m.

Gordon Head Hall, Saturday, the 12th inst., 8 p. m.

Colquitz Hall, Monday, the 14th inst., 8 p. m.

Royal Oak Hall, Tuesday, the 15th inst., 8.30 p. m.

Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, Wednesday, the 16th inst., 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Hall, Tillicum Rd., Thursday, the 17th inst., 8 p. m.

THE PACIFIC NORTHERN & OMINECA RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Pacific Northern & Omineca Railway Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Pooley, Luxton & Pooley, Chancery Chambers, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1914, for the purpose of receiving a report from the Directors, for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of other business connected with or incident to the undertaking of the Company.

HENRY PHILIPS,
Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., August 12, 1914.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated June 17, 1913, and of the powers contained in the "Mortgages Statutory Form Act," the undersigned is instructed by the Mortgagee to offer for sale the south 40 feet of Lot 41, Block 3, part of Section 74, Victoria City, Map 252 (the premises being known as 1072 Davie street); and, in accordance with such instructions, tenders for the purchase of the above-mentioned property will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th day of September, 1914.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

C. F. DAVIE,
Of Room 2, Pemberton Building,
Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

BY-LAW NO. 105

A By-Law to authorise the Municipality of Saanich to enter into an agreement to purchase water from the Water Commissioner of the City of Victoria:

WHEREAS the Reeve and Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich being desirous of obtaining a water supply for the said District have entered into a contract with the Water Commissioner of the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS the said Contract is not binding upon the Municipality unless a By-Law approving the same shall have been submitted to and approved by the Ratepayers of the said Municipality as in the case of money By-Laws.

AND WHEREAS the Corporation of the District of Saanich desire to pass a By-Law approving the said Contract.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Reeve and Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich as follows:—

(1) The Contract set out in Schedule "A" hereto dated the 1st day of September, 1914, is hereby approved.

(2) This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Purchase By-Law 1914."

Take notice that the above is a true and correct copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at:—

The new school, Cedar Hill Road, in Ward 1;
Tolmie School, Boleskine Road, in Ward 2;
Gordon Head Hall, in Ward 3;
McKenzie Avenue School, in Ward 4;
Royal Oak School, in Ward 5;
Temperance Hall, E. Saanich Road, in Ward 6;
Vacant store, corner of Gorge and Tillicum Roads, in Ward 7;
on Saturday, September 19th, 1914, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m.

HECTOR S. COWPER,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

SCHEDULE "A."

THIS AGREEMENT made in duplicate this first day of September, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and fourteen:

BETWEEN

CHARLES H. RUST, Water Commissioner for the City of Victoria, representing herein the Corporation of the City of Victoria, hereinafter called "the Water Commissioner,"

of the First Part.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA which has become a party hereto for the purpose of indicating the approval and consent of the Municipal Council of the said Corporation to this Agreement and all the provisions thereof, hereinafter called "the City,"

of the Second Part.

and

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH, hereinafter called "the District,"

of the Third Part.

WHEREAS the Water Commissioner with the consent and approval of the said Municipal Council is constructing works for the conserving and storing of the waters of Sooke Lake for general domestic, sanitary and fire protection purposes, and conveying the same by means of pipes, and conduits to the City of Victoria and there connecting the same to the present system of mains and reservoirs, and the capacity of the said works is estimated as sufficient to deliver approximately sixteen million Imperial gallons per day of twenty-four hours.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable after completion of the works as aforesaid, that the City should supply water from the said works to the District for the use of its inhabitants.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH that it is hereby mutually agreed between the City and the District in manner following, namely:—

1. The Water Commissioner shall and will for the period of ten years, hereinafter called "the Delivery period," sell and supply to the District, and the District shall and will purchase and take all water required by the District for the supply of its ratepayers and inhabitants for general domestic, sanitary, irrigation and fire protection purposes, not however to exceed five million gallons per day, at the following rates and prices, viz:—

For all water supplied during each 24 hours;

First 1,000,000 gallons, 6 cents per 1,000 gallons;

Any overplus, over 1,000,000 gallons up to 2,000,000 gallons, 5 cents per 1,000 gallons on such overplus;

Any overplus over 2,000,000 gallons, 4 cents per 1,000 gallons on such overplus.

The delivery period shall commence to run so soon as in the judgment of the Water Commissioner water is being adequately delivered by means of the said works so to be constructed as aforesaid, into the present system of mains and reservoirs of the City.

Nothing herein contained shall prevent the District from sinking or purchasing artesian or other wells within the District and selling and supplying water therefrom to the inhabitants and ratepayers of the District.

2. The District shall and will at its own expense prior to the commencement of the delivery period lay and instal all necessary pipes within the limits of the District required for the purpose of taking delivery of water from the water mains of the City and make all necessary connections within the District at such points and in such manner as the Water Commissioner shall designate, and so that the District shall be ready to take delivery of water required hereunder at the commencement of the delivery period.

3. The District shall and will before the commencement of the delivery period instal within the District good and sufficient meters and valves, subject in all respects as to location, style, design and workmanship or otherwise howsoever, to the approval of the Water Commissioner for the purpose of measuring and controlling all water to be supplied to the District by the Water Commissioner, and the District shall and will during the delivery period keep and maintain the same in good order and condition and subject to the approval of the Water Commissioner, and reasonable notification to him of any closing of the valves or any of them, and will cause to be taken daily readings of each such meter and give the employees of the City all reasonable access and opportunity of being present at the readings of said meters and of verifying the correctness thereof.

4. The District shall not later than the second day of the second calendar month of the delivery period and thereafter not later than the second day of each calendar month deliver to the Water Commissioner a correct statement taken from the meter readings showing the water each day supplied hereunder during the previous calendar month, and the District shall pay the Water Commissioner for the water delivered hereunder in each month, at the rates and prices hereinbefore set out on or before the 15th day of the succeeding calendar month, provided however that if such day be Sunday or a holiday then on or before the next business day thereafter.

5. The District shall charge to consumers for water supplied hereunder rates which shall not be less than the respective rates for the time being charged by the City to consumers within the City's limits; provided however that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to water supplied by the District for use for irrigation purposes.

6. In the event of any breakdown, accident or injury to the City's water system which causes a temporary cessation in whole or in part of the delivery of water hereunder by the City to the District, neither the Water Commissioner nor the City shall be under obligation during such temporary cessation to supply water to the District or any consumer of water within the limits of the District, but the Water Commissioner and the City shall exercise all diligence in making all necessary repairs.

7. Subject to the provisions of Clause 6 should the City cease to use the water from Sooke Lake for domestic purposes or should the Water Commissioner refuse or neglect to supply to the District all the water required from time to time up to the maximum amount provided herein, the District at its option may cancel this agreement.

8. The City hereby consents and approves of this agreement and the terms hereof and authorises and empowers the Water Commissioner to enter into the same and to perform and carry out all the provisions thereof.

9. This Agreement shall not come into force or be binding upon the parties hereto until a by-law approving the same has been submitted to and approved by the ratepayers of the District as in the case of money By-Laws.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Water Commissioner has hereunto his hand and seal subscribed and set and the Corporation of the City of Victoria and the Corporation of the District of Saanich have hereunto set their Corporate Seals duly attested respectively by the hand of the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, and the Reeve to the Corporation of the District of Saanich.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED by Charles H. Rust in the presence of T. R. Robertson, City Solicitor.

CHARLES H. RUST. (Seal.)

SEALED with the Corporation Seal of the Corporation of the City of Victoria in the presence of W. J. Dowler, C. M. C.

A. STEWART, (Seal.)
Mayor.

SEALED with the Corporate Seal of the Corporation of the District of Saanich in the presence of Hector S. Cowper, C. M. C.

GEORGE McGREGOR, (Seal.)
Reeve.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH.

By-Law No. 92.

A BY-LAW

Authorizing Street Improvements and to Raise the Necessary Moneys for the Payment Thereof.

WHEREAS the Reeve and Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich have determined to improve by grading and paving streets in the District of Saanich.

AND WHEREAS the Corporation has agreed to pass a By-law for the purpose of performing the work set out in the recital firstly hereinbefore contained at a cost of not less than the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00), and it is necessary for a By-law to be passed authorizing the said work, and the raising of the necessary moneys therefor.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to make provision for the raising of the money necessary to defray the expenses of performing the said work.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debt which this By-law is intended to create is the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00).

AND WHEREAS the said debt is to be created for the purpose of performing the said work of improving the said streets.

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereof is the sum of Forty-eight thousand, Nine hundred and forty-five dollars ($48,945.00).

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable land or improvements or real property of the Municipality of the District of Saanich, according to the last revised Assessment Roll of the Corporation, namely, the Assessment Roll for the year 1914, is the sum of Twenty million, One hundred and nine thousand, One hundred and thirty-five dollars ($20,109,135.00).

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of all the debts of the Municipality except for work of local improvement and for school purposes, including the debt to be hereby created, does not exceed twenty per cent. of the assessed value of the land and improvements, or the real property of the Municipality according to the said last revised Assessment Roll.

AND WHEREAS this By-law cannot be repealed or altered except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Reeve and Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich as follows:—

1. The said work of improvement mentioned in the firstly hereinbefore contained recital shall be proceeded with.

2. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the District of Saanich to borrow upon the credit of the Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00) currency or sterling money at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and for the object hereinafter specified.

3. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Saanich to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued, not exceeding, however, the sum of Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($450,000.00) each of the said debentures being of the amount of not less than One hundred dollars ($100.00) currency, or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and such debentures shall be sealed with the Seal of the Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof.

4. The said Debentures shall bear date the 15th day of October, One thousand, Nine hundred and fourteen, and shall be made payable in fifteen (15) years from the said date, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed, or engraved.

5. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of Five and a half per cent. (5 1-2 %) per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the debentures or coupons.

6. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Clerk to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said debentures, all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the said debentures and coupons or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

7. For the purpose of the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of Twenty-four thousand, Seven hundred and fifty dollars ($24,750.00) and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of Twenty-four thousand, One hundred and ninety-five dollars ($24,195.00).

8. The said sums of Twenty-four thousand, Seven hundred and fifty dollars ($24,750.00) and Twenty-four thousand, One hundred and ninety-five dollars ($24,195.00) making in the aggregate Forty-eight thousand, Nine hundred and forty-five dollars ($48,945.00) shall be raised and levied in each year by a rate sufficient therefore on all the rateable land in the Municipality of the District of Saanich.

9. All the moneys received from the sale of the said debentures shall be used for the purpose of grading and laying down permanent pavements in Saanich District.

10. This By-law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act, and shall take effect on the 30th day of September, 1914.

11. This By-law may be cited as "The Road Improvement By-law 1914."

Take notice that the above is a true and correct copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at:—

The New High School, Cedar Hill Road, in Ward 1;
Tolmie School, Boleskine Road, in Ward 2;
Gordon Head Hall, in Ward 3;
MacKenzie Avenue School, in Ward 4;
Royal Oak School, in Ward 5;
Temperance Hall, E. Saanich Road, in Ward 6;
Vacant Store, corner of Gorge and Tillicum Roads, in Ward 7;
on Saturday, September 19th, 1914, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m.

HECTOR T. COWPER,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

By-law No. 91.

A BY-LAW

To Raise the Sum of $375,000 for a Water Works Distribution System.

WHEREAS it is expedient to establish a water works system in the Municipality, and for such purpose it is necessary to lay down mains and pipes for the distribution of the said water.

AND WHEREAS plans, specifications and estimates have been prepared by the Municipal Engineer of the Corporation showing that it will require an expenditure of Three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($375,000.00) to lay the mains and pipes required for the distribution of the said water as set out in the said plans.

AND WHEREAS it is proposed to borrow the sum of Three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($375,000.00) for such purpose.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable land or improvements or real property of the Corporation of the District of Saanich, according to the last revised assessment roll of the Municipality, namely, the Roll of the year 1914, is Twenty million, One hundred and nine thousand, One hundred and thirty-five dollars ($20,109,135.00).

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt intended to be created hereunder, and the interest thereon is the sum of Twenty-eight thousand, Five hundred and seven dollars and thirty cents ($28,507.30).

AND WHEREAS for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created a rate sufficient therefor will be required.

AND WHEREAS this By-law shall not be altered or repealed without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Saanich to borrow upon the credit of the Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same, as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($375,000.00) currency or sterling money, at the rate of Four dollars and eighty-six and two-thirds cents ($4.86 2-3) to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and for the object hereinbefore specified.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause any number of Debentures to be made, executed and issued, not exceeding, however, the sum of Three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars ($375,000.00), each of the said debentures being of the amount of not less than One hundred dollars ($100.00) currency, or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and such Debentures shall be sealed with the Seal of the Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof.

3. The said Debentures shall bear date the Fifteenth day of October, One thousand, nine hundred and fourteen, and shall be made payable in thirty (30) years from the said date at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five and a half (5 1-2) per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America as may be expressed in the Debentures or Coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said Debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Clerk to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said Debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the said Debentures and Coupons or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said Debentures.

6. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said Debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of Twenty thousand Six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($20,625.00), and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of Seven thousand, eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and thirty cents ($7,882.30).

7. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable land and real property in the Municipality of the District of Saanich during the continuance of the said Debentures or any of them.

8. This By-law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act and shall take effect on the Thirteenth day of September, 1914.

9. This By-law may be cited as the "Water Works By-law 1914."

Take notice that the above is a true and correct copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at:—

The New School, Cedar Hill Road, in Ward 1;
Tolmie School, Boleskine Road, in Ward 2;
Gordon Head Hall, in Ward 3;
MacKenzie Avenue School, in Ward 4;
Royal Oak School, in Ward 5;
Temperance Hall, E. Saanich Road, in Ward 6;
Vacant Store, corner of Gorge and Tillicum Roads, in Ward 7;
on Saturday, September 19th, 1914, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m.

HECTOR T. COWPER,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

By-law No. 93.

A BY-LAW

To Raise the Sum of $50,000 for School Purposes.

WHEREAS the School Board of the Corporation of the District of Saanich submitted to the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich an extraordinary estimate in the amount of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00) for school purposes, and the Municipal Council of the said Corporation disapproved of the estimated expenditure.

AND WHEREAS thereafter the Secretary of the said Board of School Trustees in writing on behalf of the said School Board requested that a By-Law be submitted for the assent of the Municipal Electors of the said Corporation providing for the raising of the said sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00) upon the credit of the said Municipality.

AND WHEREAS this By-Law has been presented pursuant to the said request.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable land or improvements or real property of the Municipality of the District of Saanich according to the last revised Assessment Roll of the Municipality, namely the Roll of the year 1914, is Twenty million, One hundred and nine thousand, One hundred and thirty-five dollars ($20,109,135.00).

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt intended to be created hereunder and the interest thereon is the sum of Four thousand, Six hundred and ten dollars and eighty-five cents ($4,610.85).

AND WHEREAS this By-Law shall not be altered or repealed without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Saanich as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Saanich to borrow upon the credit of the Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00), either in currency or sterling money, at the rate of Four dollars and eighty-six and two-thirds cents ($4.86 2-3) to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00) each of the said debentures being of the amount of not less than One hundred dollars ($100.00) currency, or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the Seal of the Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve in his discretion to alternately cause each of the said debentures to be made, executed and issued for an amount of £100 sterling, and one, if necessary, for a less sum in sterling money to complete the authorized issue.

3. The said debentures shall bear date the 15th day of October, One thousand, nine hundred and fourteen, and shall be made payable twenty (20) years from the said date, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of Five and one-half per centum (5½ per cent.) per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly on the 15th day of April and the 15th day of October, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the debentures or coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the said debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

6. For the purpose of the payment of the interest, on the said debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of Two thousand, Seven hundred and fifty dollars ($2,750.00) and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of One thousand, eight hundred and sixty dollars and eighty-five cents ($1,860.85), making in the aggregate Four thousand, six hundred and ten dollars and eighty-five cents ($4,610.85) shall be raised and levied in each year by a rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable land in the Municipality of the District of Saanich.

8. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act, and shall take effect on the 30th day of September, 1914.

9. This By-Law may be cited as the "School Loan By-Law No. 2."

Take notice that the above is a true and correct copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at:—

The New School, Cedar Hill Road, in Ward 1;
Tolmie School, Boleskine Road, in Ward 2;
Gordon Head Hall, in Ward 3;
MacKenzie Avenue School, in Ward 4;
Royal Oak School, in Ward 5;
Temperance Hall, E. Saanich Road, in Ward 6;
Vacant Store, corner of Gorge and Tillicum Roads, in Ward 7;
on Saturday, September 19th, 1914, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m.

HECTOR T. COWPER,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Winding Up Act and In the Matter of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company, Limited.

The Creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of October, 1914, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Rowland F. Taylor, of Victoria, Official Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Chambers of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Monday, the 12th day of October, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1914.

B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
Registrar.

TENDERS FOR HARDWARE STOCK.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, September 14, 1914, for the purchase of the stock in trade of the Victoria West Hardware Company, 1006 Russell street, Victoria West, B. C., amounting at cost to $4,822.04. The stock may be viewed at any time by appointment. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. The fixtures, fittings and Ford motor delivery car are also for sale.

Dated September 3, 1914.

G. W. ANTHONY, Accountant,
Assignee.

407 Jones Bldg., Victoria, B.C. Phone 4936.

HORSES FOR SALE

The Corporation will sell two good, heavy horses suitable for farm work. The horses are in the field at the rear of the Isolation Hospital. Persons desiring to see them with a view to purchase should telephone to Mr. John R. Denholme, Telephone No. 2289, or call at the Yates Street Corporation yard, between Blanchard and Quadra Streets.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11, 1914.

La Marquise de Fontenoy

Great Britain's principal naval base for the operations of her fleet against Germany, in the North Sea and the Baltic, is at Rosyth, a natural deep water bay lying between Castle Point and St. Margaret's Hope, at the eastern extremity of the Firth of Forth. For many years past thousands of men have been at work there, constructing dry-docks capable of docking, not one, but a number of the largest battleships, and arming it with the most powerful devices of twentieth century warfare, until to-day it is the most important, as well as the strongest of all Britain's big maritime strongholds and arsenals. Situated within easy striking distance of the German coast, it may almost be said to command the entrance to the North Sea and to the Baltic, as well as access to all German ports, and is regarded in Germany as a menace to the Teuton empire.

St. Margaret's Hope takes its name from Queen Margaret of Scotland. She was a sister of Edgar Atheling, heir to the Anglo-Saxon dynasty of Edward the Confessor, and she fled with her brother and her mother from England before William the Conqueror, in 1066. The party was almost wrecked in a storm while crossing the Firth of Forth, and is said to have finally reached land at the point known as St. Margaret's Hope entirely by reason of the prayers of Margaret. They were received with the utmost hospitality by King Malcolm, whose wife the princess shortly afterwards became.

With regard to Rosyth Castle, still in existence, it is said to have been built by James Stuart, half brother of Walter, the High Steward of Scotland, and father of King Robert III. Sir Walter Scott took Rosyth as his model when he described the Castle of Avenel, in his novels "The Abbot" and "The Monastery," and it is a fact that Mary Queen of Scots sought refuge there, finding it a particularly safe retreat, only accessible from the mainland by a causeway intersected by a couple of drawbridges. Her stay there is recalled by the ancient inscription over the doorway of the grey square keep, consisting of the letters and figures "M. R., 1561," with a cross and a crown.

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The present war in Europe is being conducted on strictly teetotal lines as far as the British and the Russian armies are concerned. Lord Kitchener, as secretary of state for war, has strictly forbidden the drinking of any drop of alcohol by the British officers and soldiers now in the field against the Germans in France and in Belgium; and a similar edict has been issued by the Russian Generalissimo Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaiovitch, who has been backed up in the matter by the czar with the utmost vigor.

Indeed, Emperor Nicholas has actually gone to the length of issuing a ukase closing all the dramshops, saloons and public drinking places throughout his entire dominion for the duration of the war. As at least a third of the entire revenue of Russia until now has been derived from the government monopoly of the sale of alcoholic drinks, it readily can be understood what an immense importance both the Czar and the Grand Duke must attach to the total abstinance of the officers and soldiers now in the field.

Lord Kitchener is an enthusiast about the matter, and when he organized his Anglo-Egyptian force for the final march upon Khartoum, for the reconquest of the Soudan and the destruction of the Mahdi at the close of the last century, he declined to permit a single drop of alcoholic stimulants to his army, save for hospital use. Spirits, wine and malt liquors were barred from the officers' mess table, as well as from the regimental canteen, and from the generals down to the drummer-boys and camp followers, liquid refreshments were restricted to tea and oatmeal water.

When one remembers how devoted the Englishman is to his beer, the Scotchman to his mountain dew, and the Irishman to his potheen—modern history abounding in the upsets of British cabinets ill-advised enough to attempt to increase the tax on these stimulants, which are regarded not as luxuries, but as actual necessaries of life—the boldness and likewise the difficulty of Lord Kitchener's innovation in 1898 will be appreciated.

But the scheme more than fulfilled his expectations. Thanks to total abstinence, the men were able to make forced marches of the most extraordinary character across the burning desert and under a blazing sun, the heat of whose rays only can be realized by those who have lived under the equator. Moreover, there never had been until then a campaign where there was so little sickness, where so few men were compelled to fall out on the longest march, and where the troops were got into such magnificent physical and moral training that they would readily cover thirty miles of sand, with empty water bottles, without slaking their thirst once from the beginning to the end of the march, at the close of which they would find themselves still sufficiently fresh and vigorous to win a hard-fought victory such as that of Atbara, on the Nile.

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There is no truth in the story according to which the young Earl of Airlie has just celebrated his majority with all sorts of festivities at Cortachy castle, his ancestral home, in Forfarshire. For he is still with his regiment, the Tenth Hussars, in South Africa, which must be after all a relief to his widowed mother. For she lost her husband just fourteen years ago, in the Boer war, at the head of the Twelfth Lancer regiment, to which he had been transferred a few years previously from the Tenth Hussars, in which he had spent the greater portion of his military career. She was devotedly attached to her popular husband, a particularly gallant and chivalrous chieftain of an historic race, has deeply mourned him ever since, and had the Tenth Hussars been in England at the outbreak of the present war instead of in South Africa, they, and her boy among them, undoubtedly would have formed part of the cavalry brigade under Field Marshal Sir John French, now endeavoring at the cost of so many British lives, to hold back the German invasion of the northwestern provinces of France.

There is therefore no danger for the present of the widowed Lady Airlie, who is a favorite member of the household of Queen Mary, hearing again the muffled drumbeat of the ghostly drummer who haunts Cortachy castle and who warned her and the entire countryside of her husband's death in South Africa by Boer bullets days before she received the cabled announcement that he had fallen in battle. The ghost is that of a drummer boy whom one of the Lords of Ogilvy kicked in a fit of anger over the battlements of the castle on the rocks below, the lad only living long enough to declare that he would haunt the Ogilvy family ever afterwards, only making his appearance on the eve of the death of one of the chieftains of the Ogilvys or of the chief's wife.

The sixth Lord Airlie heard the fateful drumbeat, and cheerfully assuming that it was for his wife, and not for himself, he proceeded to insure her life, which in Great Britain can be done through Lloyds and similar concerns without examination. A few days later the Countess took her departure quite suddenly for another and it is hoped a better world. The insurance concerns, however, got wind of the fact that the Earl had received the warning of the impending demise of his better half through the ghostly drummer, and refused to pay. But the Court of Sessions at Edinburgh ruled that the civil law of Scotland could take no cognizance of ghosts, decided in favor of Lord Airlie, and compelled the insurance concerns to pay the full amount due on the death of his Countess.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

HALTING GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL MACHINE

From Monetary Times.

Military and naval Germany in its insane war lust is paralyzing industrial Germany. At the conclusion of hostilities, the nation's industry and commerce will have suffered a blow, from which it will take at least a quarter, perhaps a half century, maybe more, to recover. Modern Germany presents two outstanding facts, the great increase of the population since 1871 and the growing dependence of the population upon industrial and mercantile pursuits. Industry and trade in Germany maintain directly a population of about 34¾ millions, or more than half the entire population of the German empire.

Chief among the causes which have helped to place Germany into the front rank of industrial nations is its possession of valuable mineral wealth and of capital to develop them. It has the largest known reserves of coal of all European countries. Upon that foundation, its iron and steel industries have been built rapidly and efficiently. It has copper, lead, zinc and other minerals in fair quantity and great wealth in its salt mines. It has practically a monopoly of potash, and supplies the world with that product.

The industrial hub of the country is the district which stretches from Dusseldorf on the Rhine land to Hamm in Westphalia, and covers a large part of those provinces. Speaking of that district, the Cologne Gazette phophezied some time ago that before long the district between Duisburg and Hamm would form "one enormous settlement, a single expanse of houses from 45 to 50 miles long and from 15 to 20 miles broad."

While Germany is still lagging behind in shipbuilding—the Clyde yards alone turning out a larger tonnage than all the German yards together—good progress is being made nevertheless. That is in some measure due to the naval policy of Emperor William, which would have been well if confined to peaceful work, but directed partly to the building of a gigantic navy, it likely will prove disastrous in the comparatively near future.

Year by year, Germany has become more independent of other countries in industrial products. Comparing the statistics of 1897 with those of 1911, the value of Germany's imports increased in that period by 49 per cent., and that of the exports by 129 per cent., while the increase of population was 23 per cent. Although the country is still largely agricultural, it is no longer able to feed its population. About one-half of the agricultural land is divided into relatively small holdings, while one-quarter is held by large proprietors.

The railways have been state-owned for a generation. Four years ago the country had about 18 miles of railway to every hundred square miles of surface, a ratio exceeded in Europe only by Belgium, Holland, the United Kingdom and Switzerland, in the order named. In his striking picture of the growth of industrial Germany, W. H. Dawson, in a notable volume on the subject, states that the railway system of that country and the development of its natural and artificial waterways have helped to build up industry and commerce and economic efficiency each to an equal degree.

Another powerful factor in the industrial life of Germany has been the concentration of capital. For instance, ten industrial concerns and nine financial institutions have aggregate capital of $638,750,000, an average of over $33,000,000. Nearly all these large undertakings, including the Krupp gun and shipbuilding firm, with capital of $45,000,000, and the Deutsche and Dresdner Banks, each with $50,000,000 capital, have grown to their present size as a rule by amalgamation with rival enterprises. The firm of Krupp, in which Emperor William has a substantial financial interest, employs 70,000 persons. Now industrial Germany and its 35,000,000 workers, with the other half of that empire's population, is thrown into war by Germany's military madmen

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SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Alexandra Lodge, 116, meets first and third Wednesdays, Friends' Hall, Courtney St. D. Brown, 2516 Shelbourne St., president; Jas. P. Temple, 1053 Burdett St., secretary.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, No. 738, meets at K. of P. Hall, North Park street, every Tuesday. Dictator, F. Bates, 1465 Woodland road. C. E. Copeland, secretary, 1330 Minto street; P. O. Box 1017.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION—L. O. L., 1610, meets in A. O. F. Hall, Broad street, second and fourth Mondays. J. C. Scott, W. M., 942 Pandora St.; W. C. Warren, R. S., 39 Cambridge St.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, North Park street, A. G. H. Harding, K. of R. & S., 15 Promis Block, 1006 Government street.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I.O.O.F., meets Wednesdays, 8 p.m., in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. D. Dewar, R. S., 1240 Oxford street.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 748, I.O.F., meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in Princess Theatre. J. W. H. King, Rec. Sec.; E. P. Nathan, Fin. Sec.

VICTORIA, No. 17, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall, North Park street, every Thursday. E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S.: Box 164.

A. O. F., COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 5953, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Sec'y.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8 o'clock in K. of P. Hall, North Park street. Visiting members cordially invited.

THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, Court Camosun, No. 9233, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad St., 1st and 3rd Tuesdays. T. W. Hawkins, Sec.

SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Pride of the Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in A.O.F. Hall, Broad St. Pres., H. Bussey, 966 Fisgard St.; Sec., A. E. Brindley, 1617 Pembroke St., city.

AGENTS.

WAR SOUVENIRS—Greatest line, British war (Ikons), (The Winner), sample 10c. Carnival, fair and celebration novelties, Xmas and holiday decorations, catalogue free. Miller, 738 Broadway, New York.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES.

PIANO-PLAYER RECORDS, classic and popular, value $45. Sell cheap or exchange for gramophone records. Phone 3385X1. s15

A GOOD COOK STOVE for sale. 1424 Hillside Ave. s25

FURNITURE SELLING CHEAP at 1654 Hollywood Crescent, owner leaving city. The following is all that is left: New linoleum, various chairs, ice chest, curtains, good iron bed and mattress, camp bed, blankets, linen, 2 dressing tables, chest drawers, kitchen and china ware, file cabinet, thoroughbred fox terrier bitch, window blinds, etc., etc. All furniture new last March. Apply daily before 1 p. m. Phone 5451R. s15

SECOND-HAND SAFE, in good condition; will sell very reasonable. Box 6133, Times. s25

FOR SALE—Ladies' bicycle, first-class condition. Phone 4340R, or write Box 606, Times. s15

FOR SALE—Puppies, Spitz. Also fine lot of pears, about 300 pounds. Cheap. 322 Dallas Rd. s14

FOR SALE—Pair of field glasses, by Ross, London, in leather military case. Price $15. Can be seen at Samuelsen & Frewing's store, Saanich Rd. s14

THOROUGHBRED AIREDALE pups for sale. Box 567, Times. s16

FRESH-WATER MILL WOOD—Phone 911. s16

FOR SALE—A few thousand empty coal bags. Apply Box 575, Times. s16

FOR SALE—A few household goods very cheap. Box 561, Times. s11

SACRIFICE—Lady's muskrat fur coat, size 40. Bargain. Phone 737. s15

FOR SALE—Enclosed photo arc lamp, 8x10 Centuray portrait camera; lamp with wiring sold separately. Box 542, Times. s15

BOATS, CANOES, MOTOR LAUNCHES—All kinds, new and second-hand, bought and sold. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 3445. s14

FOR SALE—A large collection of old coins and bills. Apply 572 Johnson St. a11 tf

FOR SALE—Malleable and steel ranges, $1 down, $1 per week. 2001 Government street.

FOR SALE—Shotgun, 12 gauge, D. B., $6; shotgun, 10 gauge, W. W. Greener, $15; rifle, 45-70, $7.50; full size double blankets, $1.50 per pair; hunting boots, $2.50; army overcoats, $4.50; compasses, 50c.; set boxing gloves, $2.50; Sandow exerciser, $1.75; Sandow spring dumbbells, $2.50; mandolin, $4.50; bicycle cards, 10c.; Gillette safety razors, $2.50; 2 ft. rules, 5c.; carpenters' pencils, Dixon's, 5c. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FLAT-BOTTOM SKIFFS in stock and for sale. Jones, 837 Fort street. Phone 1755. j29 tf

POULTRY AND EGGS.

FOR SALE—Four white Leghorn cockerels. Johnson, Eldon Place, end of Burnside car line. s17

GUARANTEED NEW LAID EGGS, delivered at 45c.; broilers, 35c. lb.; spring chicken, 25c.; roasters, 20c. P. O. Box 1294. s28

FOR SALE—A number of young Pekin ducks and drakes; also pullets. T. W. Palmer, Lake Hill P. O., North Quadra. s23

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—We have suites of rooms in suburban business blocks, newly built, with every modern convenience. Back and front entrances. Can be rented as low as $12 per month. Also small cottage, $10 per month. W. C. Bond, 304 Pemberton Bldg., Victoria, B. C. s15

APARTMENTS TO LET—McDonald Blk. Free phone and water. Telephone L731. s8tf

HAMPTON COURT, corner of Cook and Leonard streets. One 3 roomed, one 4 roomed suite to rent. o3

IN SUITES of two or three rooms, newly decorated, furnished, hot water heating, hard time prices. 2914 Douglas. s25

THREE ROOMED SUITE, close in. Phone 1067L. s10

FOR RENT—A comfortable suite of 3 rooms and pantry, with bath, light, phone, etc. Apply 581 Niagara street, or phone 2885. j1tf

OCTOBER MANSION, corner of Fort and Cook. Two, three and four roomed suites to rent. o3

BUSINESS CHANCES.

BAKERY AND GROCERY for sale as a going concern. Apply Wilson Bros., Herald St. s15

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished.)

FOR RENT—New 4 roomed cottage, modern, near car, $12. H. Thompson, 3147 Albany Rd. s19

FOR RENT—6 roomed modern bungalow, new. Particulars, Phone 3601L. s16

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, with bathroom, Victoria West, $12.50 per month. Hallewell, Room 3, 707½ Yates St. s16

FOR RENT—6 roomed modern house, concrete stable, $18. 2572 Belmont Ave. Key at store. s16

TO LET—Small 3 room modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 1126 Fisgard St. s10

FOR RENT—Small house, at 893 Wilson St. Apply 1249 Finlayson St. s15

BRAND NEW 5 roomed bungalow on Florence St.; fir paneling, walls tinted, cement basement, furnace, etc.; $20 to responsible tenant. Henderson, Phone 1859R. s10

TO RENT—Bungalow de luxe, Fairfield, high elevation, furnace, $27.50. Also 5 rooms, $20 month. Call 1321 Point St., off Moss St. Phone 4826 R. s15

TO RENT—House at 961 Pandora St. Apply L. C. Mills, 111 Pemberton Blk., City. s15

RENT $20—Two new 5-room bungalows. 2203 Chambers, corner Princess, opposite school. s15

GRANITE ST., OAK BAY—Modern six-room bungalow, on high ground, large lot, southerly exposure, $25 per month. Heisterman-Forman Co., 1210 Broad St. s15

TO LET—7 roomed house, almost new, Oak Bay Junction. Phone 731L. a31 tf

FOR RENT—Five roomed cottage, close in. Apply 1152 Yates St. s15

TO RENT—Two new houses (five and seven rooms), in best part Oak Bay; low rental to desirable tenants. Apply Box 284, Times. s26

THREE-ROOMED HOUSE TO RENT—2529 Shakespeare St, $10 per month. Apply 2758 Forbes St. s17

FOR RENT—Modern, 6 roomed house, 1508 Gladstone avenue, $25 per month. Apply A. M. Howell, 1006 Government street. Phone 1501. a17 tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished.)

FOR RENT—Cottage, 5 rooms (furnished), modern conveniences, Johnson St., $28 per month. L. U. Conyer & Co., 650 View St. s15

PART OF FURNISHED house to let in James Bay, 5 minutes from P. O. Reasonable. P. O. Box 170, City. s17

FOR RENT—Furnished, a four-roomed modern bungalow. Phone 5067R. s18

TO LEASE—A new modern furnished home, every convenience, moderate rent to right party. P. O. Box 885, City. s17

TO LET FURNISHED—6 room house, Monterey, near car line. Dominion Trust Co. s14

FOR RENT—Bungalow, furnished or unfurnished, on waterfront. Apply 665 Pine St. s23

TO RENT—4 roomed cottage, furnished, $15. Apply 1413 Denman St. s10

TO LET—4 or 5 rooms, furnished, of 7 roomed house, 144 Olive street, furnace, range, fuel, water, light, phone; $25 month. Call. s27

NEW, 2 ROOMED CABIN to rent, furnished, suitable 2 men, single beds, $7 month. Apply Mrs. Douglas, Foster street, Esquimalt. s13

TO RENT—Furnished, five roomed bungalow, good basement, bath, and all modern conveniences, $30 a month. Apply Flint & Co., Broughton street. o7

FOR RENT—(Miscellaneous.)

FOR RENT—A few vacant nights at A. O. F. Hall, 1415 Broad St., suitable for lodges or small dancing parties. Apply at Hall, 1.30 to 4 p. m., or 719 Princess Ave. s14

TO RENT OR LEASE— — One acre, close to city and car, 3 roomed cottage, city water and light, rent $12 per month. Phone 5263R. s14

SPLENDID PIANO for rent cheap if taken at once. 1192 Fort St. Phone 3392R. s14

LARGE SHED TO RENT, cheap. Use of phone. 926 Humboldt St. Phone 4837L. s23

GROCERY STORE and dwelling, suburban, for rent, $25. Newly fixed up after fire; doing good trade previous. Apply 2630 Richmond Rd. s22

TO LET—Office desk room, with large fire-proof vault accommodation, on ground floor of modern, steam-heated building; also several private offices; all very cheap for the winter season. Apply to owner at the building, 1219 Langley street, from 3 to 4 p. m. s4 tf

OFFICE—One room office in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

FURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, furnished, also fireplace. 515 Springfield Ave. s14

FURNISHED ROOM to rent, breakfast if desired, terms very moderate. 2754 Forbes St. s17

DUNSMUIR ROOMS, 730 Fort, centre city. Modern, new, up-to-date as any hotel; choice, lovely rooms; low rates. G. B. Parry, proprietor. s13

ARLINGTON ROOMS, 819 Fort. Bright outside rooms, hot and cold water every room, from $2.75 weekly. Miss Mercer, late housekeeper Ritz Hotel. Phone 1819O. s19

FURNISHED ROOMS, 713 View street, $2.50 per week. s20

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Well furnished modern housekeeping rooms, $10 per month. 1031 Pandora Ave. s17

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING FLATS 1, 2, 3 or 5 rooms. All conveniences. 1036 Hillside Ave. o10

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM—Kitchen and bathroom, $2.50. 2532 Government. s14

TWO FRONT housekeeping rooms, furnished, every convenience. 1903 Quadra St. s15

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, gas or stove. "Maplehurst," 1937 Blanshard street. Phone 2468. s30

TO LET—Clean, furnished, housekeeping rooms and cabins, free kitchens, all conveniences, $4 per month. 1036 Hillside avenue. s22

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED, for two ladies, separate furnished housekeeping rooms in apartment block; steam heat and bath, close in, terms moderate; by Oct. 7th. Box 6112, Times. s14

WANTED TO BUY—Island Sulphur shares. Box 523, Times. s14

EXCHANGE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two heavy horses, harness and wagon; suitable for farm work. Phone 2660Y2. Alderton, Langford. s16

EXCHANGE—Will trade Victoria clear title business or residential properties for clear title acreage or farm within eight miles Duncan; must have good water supply. Give full particulars, location and price first letter. P. O. Drawer 767, Victoria. s16

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

1912 FORD CAR FOR SALE, in excellent order, $350. Davie's Garage, 617 Vancouver St. s15

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—25 young hogs, from 70 lbs. to 100 lbs. Also 23 7-weeks' pigs, $3 each. Robert Sollan, Hornby Island. s18

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, Irish setter. Good hunter and retrieves well. Apply 861 Broughton St. s14

HELP WANTED—MALE

RAILROAD FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, $120. Experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Times.

WANTED—Man to do digging for few days. Will give flat-top writing desk in exchange. Box 6136, Times. s15

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—No canvassing or soliciting required. Good income assured. Address National Co-Operative Realty Co., V-1389 Marden Building, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us during the fall and winter months; waste space in cellars, barns or outhouses can be made yield from $20 to $30 per week. For full particulars and illustrated Looklet, apply Montreal Supply Company, Montreal, Canada. o6

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—High School girl; comfortable home in return for services. 1186 Yates St. s18

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On Oak Bay car or in down-town section, a pair of nose-glasses, in case. Finder please leave at Times Office. s15

LOST—A pair of gold-rimmed eye-glasses. A reward given on their return to T. Shotbolt, 589 Johnson St. s15

LOST—Sept. 10th, English setter pup. Return to 827 Princess Ave. Reward. s15

VALUABLE IRISH TERRIER (female) lost from The Bend, Oak Bay Ave. Kindly return to Betty McGregor, The Bend, and receive reward. s14

LOST—Liver and white pointer puppy. Gent seen with same near University, Mount Tolmie. Phone 407L1. s14

LOST—Two Gordon setters (dog and bitch). Anyone returning same to 828 Fisgard St. will be suitably rewarded. s14

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE COLD WEATHER will soon be here. I repair everything in the shape of fireplaces; mantels, grates, tiles and fire-bricks re-set and supplied. No job too small or too large. Go to W. J. Anderson, 943 Fort St., or Phone 96, for all fireplace troubles. o12

SPECIAL RATES to His Majesty's forces, volunteers or their families, $3 per hour; Willows camp, $1.50; Navy yard, $2.50; or anywhere within city limits, $1.50. Victoria Auto Co., Phone 3264. s25

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for my wife's debts from this date, Sept. 10th. M. Lennax. s14

LOOK!—Business men and authors and all who cannot afford to keep a stenographer. I will typewrite your manuscripts, etc., neatly for a very reasonable sum. Neat typed work attracts attention. Write to-day for rates to Box 6118 Times. o10

DURING THE WAR, although the price of all foodstuffs have advanced, we will give our patrons special lunch and dinner for twenty-five cents (25c), as follows: Soup, Choice of Entree or Fish, Fruit Pie or Cake, and Coffee, Milk, Tea or Cocoa. Think it over. Give us a trial. Baltimore Lunch, Ltd., 1210 Government St. s16

PIANO TUNING—R. H. Rimes, 123 Hollywood Crescent. Phone 2805R. s30

THE MAKE-OVER SHOP, 194 Olive St. Take Fowl Bay car. Ladies' and children's garments renovated and made over; new material made as desired; 26 years' experience. Mrs. A. W. Hill. s30

NIL DESPERANDUM—During the war our prices will remain the same. Waffles with butter and syrup, 10c.; splendid tea in crock pot with cream and sugar, 5c.; beefsteak and kidney pudding, 15c. Scores of other specials. The soldiers' rendezvous, Baltimore Lunch, opposite Union Bank, Government street. s16

C. P. COX, piano tuner, graduate of School for Blind, Halifax, 159 South Turner street. Phone 1212L. s25

BILLIARD TABLES repaired; estimates given on re-covering cushions and beds. F. B. Richardson, Billiard Hall, 1004 Government street.

LEAKY ROOFS repaired and guaranteed. Tel. L4611.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOM AND BOARD, in modern steam-heated house. Also garage, which could be used for storage. Lowest terms. Phone 1626L. 333 Simcoe St. s16

WANTED—Two young men to share large front room in private family. Superior table board. Terms moderate. No. 4 Alma Place, off Michigan. Phone 3512X. s17

FIRST-CLASS ROOM AND BOARD, $6.50 up, every comfort, piano, tennis lawn, central. 926 Humboldt street. Phone 4837L. o6

COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD, reasonable, close in. 615 Vancouver St. Phone 3820X. s13

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM, $6.50 per week; also housekeeping room. 942 Pandora street. s13

ROOMS—With or without board, terms low. 2516 Government. Phone 3957.

SUPERIOR ROOMS AND BOARD—Special interest taken, home comforts for business people. 4 Alma Place, Michigan St., Phone 3512. o13

JAMES BAY HOTEL—South Government street. Residential and family, magnificent location, facing Beacon Hill park, only 4 blocks from Post Office, 100 rooms, modern throughout, excellent table, French chef; special inclusive rates by week or month. Phone 2304.

THE BON ACCORD, 845 Princess avenue. First-class room and board; terms moderate. Phone 2857L. s19

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—A job, caretaking; man and wife. Apply Times, Box 617. s15

CAKE BAKER, long experience, sober and reliable, expert on French pastry and fancy goods, wishes position. Box 543, Times. s15

BOOKKEEPER AND CASHIER, experienced, wants position. Is also thoroughly efficient correspondent and typewriter. Very highly recommended locally. W., Box 1080, Post Office. s15

UNFURNISHED ROOMS

TO LET—3 unfurnished rooms, $10 per month. 745 Courtney St. s15

WANTED—LOANS.

TO CAPITALISTS—$3,000 wanted at 10 per cent. on value of $16,000. Box 581, Times. s16

WANTED—PROPERTY.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—4 or 5 room cottage. Will give good cash payment and clear title to good lot. See The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas St. s14

WANTED—A good cheap house on easy terms. Box 6106, Times. s15

SITUATION VACANT.

$5 PRIVATE CHRISTMAS GREETING CARD sample book free. Solicitors make five to ten dollars daily. Bradley-Garretson Desk Co., Brantford, Ont.

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P. R. Brown 1112 Broad Street

Civic Investigation Committee.—It is understood that there will be a meeting of the civic investigation committee late this week to prepare a report so that it may be ready for the meeting of the council a week hence.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED—Up-to-date 5 room unfurnished house, by careful couple, desiring to rent year in and year out. Rent must be reasonable. Box 414, Times

FOR SALE—LOTS

A WORKINGMAN'S SNAP—Large lot, fruit trees, and shack, 16 by 12 feet, built of V joint, for $850. Terms $25 cash, balance $10 monthly. Apply Tilleum Rd Dry Goods Store. s15

FOR SALE—A number Shoal Bay lots, near sea and car. Open for offers. Phone, mornings, 4510L. o3

FOR SALE—Tenders wanted by Sept. 30 for purchase of 1 or 2 lots in Burleith; your own terms. Address E. S., P. O. Box 242, city. s30

FOR SALE—HOUSES

OAK BAY—2065 Bourchier St. House for sale cheap. Clear title. s14

HOUSE SNAP—New well-built house, large lot, fenced, good view. Built for owner, 5 rooms, furnace. All modern improvements. Tinted throughout, panelled, built-in dresser, buffet, etc. Electric fixtures included. A real home. Owner about to remove to country, will sacrifice at some hundreds under actual cost, and on easy terms. Beale & Coventry, 205 Jones Blk. s14

BUILD YOUR OWN HOUSE—Let me find money, plans and carry the building. I can pay up your lot if necessary or find one for you. You get what you want and where you want it. I can take monthly payments. Box 578, Times. s23

FOR SALE OR RENT—Eight-room house, all modern conveniences; no reasonable offer refused; small cash payment; Yale street, Oak Bay. Apply 2338 Fowl Bay road, near Arena. j13 ti

4 ROOMED BUNGALOW—Equity for sale Cheap. 1630 Myrtle Ave. s14

FOR SALE—On monthly payments, two new, fully modern, six roomed houses, with all latest improvements, in best part of Fairfield. Phone owner, 740R. s27

GENUINE SACRIFICE—$900 below value. Bay street, near Fernwood road, 4 rooms, pantry and bathroom, perfectly modern; $2,700 net, terms. Owner, P. O. Box 127 o4

NICELY FURNISHED, 5-room cottage; price $4,000. Owner, J. E. McKenzie, 3044 Carroll street. s30

SACRIFICE, $700 below value, new 7-room house on Burton Ave. Full accommodation. Price $2,800. Box 584, Times. s16

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Starrett level transit No. 99. Apply 1016 Pandora Ave. s19

LOST—On Saturday morning, Sept. 12, a small brown paper parcel containing oil painting, of no value except to the owner. Will finder kindly return this office. s14

TENDERS WANTED for rock-blasting and excavating. Apply 1198 Yates St. s14

I WILL GIVE GOOD BOARD and pay small rent for occasional work of a heavy horse during winter. Phone 2084R2. s14

PRIVATE MATERNITY NURSING, 1640 Dallas Rd. o15

EXCHANGE—Small grocery business, stock $600 to $700, for clear title lot, Victoria West or Gorge preferred. Johnson Bros., 2420 Government St. Phone 3419.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS and shacks to rent very cheap. 2842 Douglas St. s16

FURNISHED BUNGALOW, 1625 Oak Bay Junction. Phone 912R or 3775L. S21

WANTED—General help; must be able to cook. Apply 1920 Queen's Ave. s16

3-ROOMED SUITE, $14; also one at $18. Leroy Apts., 502 Montreal St. Phone 1295R. s16

DANCE—Cloverdale Hall, Tuesday, Sept. 22nd. Gentlemen, 35c; ladies free. s22

4-ROOMED COTTAGE to rent furnished, for 2 or 3 persons, at rear of 420 Vancouver St. s22

FOR RENT OR SALE—Good 2-room cottage; pantry, toilet, electric light, basement; $11 month, including water. 2230 Bowker Ave., Oak Bay. Apply 1137 Johnson St. s19

$25.00 PER MONTH, six rooms, modern. Powell St., 3 minutes from Parliament Buildings. Box 535, Times. s16

PIANOFORTE PUPILS DESIRED in vicinity of Gorge, Burnside, Victoria West and Esquimalt. Mrs. Tully, Albina St., Gorge Park. Phone 3485L2. o15

FOR SALE—1913 five-passenger Ford, in good condition, price $425. For further particulars and inspection, apply 147 Ontario St. Phone 1896. s16

WANTED—Tuition in botany. Reply, stating qualifications, terms, etc., to "Someone," Times Office. s16

YOUNG FAIR GIRL who called at 351 Robertson St. last Thursday for a position, kindly call again. s16

I HAVE PURCHASER for 4 roomed modern home within city limits, not more than $2,000 to $2,500. Terms about $200 cash, balance monthly. Must be absolute bargain. Full particulars, E. A. Willsher, National Realty Co., 1232 Government St. s16

LOST—Black silk veiled scarf about noon Sunday, Fairfield Rd., or near cemetery. Please Phone 591. s16

WANTED—A gardener who understands the care of a cow. Apply, stating age and references, P. O. Box 658, City. s14

FLATS TO LET—$10 to $12.50, including water. 1809 Crescent Rd. Phone 3372O. s14

FOR RENT—534 John St., one 6-roomed cottage in good repair, hot and cold water, with small range attached; fruits and flowers. Rent reduced from $30 to $20 per month. Tenant must give references. Cameron Investment & Securities Co., Ltd., 319 Central Bldg. s16

TO RENT—4 roomed house on Orillia St. Apply Box 645, Times. s16

LOCAL NEWS

Oak Bay Council Meets.—A meeting of the Oak Bay council will be held this evening. A large amount of routine business will be transacted.

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Agricultural Association.—Owing to the postponement of the Dominion exhibition, the annual meeting of the B. C. Agricultural association will not be held till late in the year. This meeting will be of special importance because of the question of the lease of the Willows park from the city.

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Owner Wanted.—Somewhere in the city is a chicken-run minus some of its inmates as the police have in their possession several fowls stolen from persons unknown by a Chinaman who was on Saturday sentenced to one month's imprisonment. The owner may have the poultry by applying at the police station.

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Continue Training.—The 75 naval volunteers who have returned to civil life after spending a month on active service in the naval yard and on the Rainbow have decided to continue their regular semi-weekly drills. Instruction will be given by the same officers as heretofore on Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week for two hours.

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Third Unit Completed.—That the third unit at Jordan river is practically completed is the news brought back to the city to-day by the superintendent of the B. C. Electric railway who spent the week-end at the big works of the company there. He reports that it will be put into operation about the end of the month. It will give an almost double horse power to the plant already in operation.

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Proves Popular.—The newly erected B. C. Electric railway tea-rooms and hotel at Deep bay are proving enormousiy popular, and hundreds of people have visited there in the short time in which the building has been opened. The place has also proved a popular rendezvous for societies and clubs on picnic, and big gatherings have already been held there by the Sons of England and the Ivy Leaf Social club.

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Japanese Sailor Killed.—By a fall from aloft on the Idzumo to-day a Japanese sailor, K. Ishima, was instantly killed. His body was brought into the city on a tender and taken to an undertakers. A large crowd was attracted to the causeway by the sight of a man-o'-war tender at the landing, a body under a sheet on a stretcher and sailors apparently wiping blood off the deck and top of the cabin. The rumor flew through the business section in a few minutes that there had been an engagement with the German cruiser and that the wounded were being landed.

PULPITS EXCHANGED

Methodist Pastors in City Preach in Other Churches: Work of Extension Society Explained.

There was a general exchange of pulpits among the Methodist ministers of the city yesterday, the occasion being the annual observation under the Methodist Extension society when ministers, accompanied in each instance by a layman, visited other churches in the district to which they were assigned, and explained the work and objects of the society.

Sermons suitable to the occasion were preached in each instance, and the laymen who spoke immediately after the sermon defined the work of the Methodist Extension society and the conditions of membership. The outline report of undertakings actually completed or in course of completion under the auspices of the organization was given, and a financial statement rendered coupled with an appeal for more members. The membership fee was but one dollar, and additional contributions were also acceptable, while it was made possible for non-members also to contribute amounts. A renewal of memberships which had lapsed was made, and the greetings of the society conveyed to the congregation in each instance. Citing some of the work accomplished during the year by the local branch of the organization, the speakers referred in several instances to the new church recently built in a day and a half at Garden City.

Officers elected at the annual meeting last week were reported as follows: Honorary president, Noah Shakespeare; president (succeeding H. J. Knott), W. F. Mitchell; vice-president, W. Beattie, Victoria West; secretary, Alderman W. J. Sargent; treasurer, Alderman Bell, re-elected.

COMMITTEE FORMED TO ORGANIZE FUND

Permanent Patriotic Organization to Be Launched Wednesday

An informal meeting for the purpose of organizing the Victoria branch of the Canadian Patriotic fund was held in the office of A. C. Flumerfelt, Fort street, this morning.

Many phases of the whole situation were discussed, and several committees were appointed to report on Wednesday morning next in the same office at 11 o'clock. On the reports presented by these committees a permanent organization will be launched, and the public will be advised of the scope, objects and methods of the collection of funds, and distribution of the same.

In attendance there were F. S. Barnard, secretary of the provincial fund and a member of the Dominion executive; His Worship the Mayor; C. A. Holland, D. R. Ker, Arthur Coles, H. B. Thomson, M. P.; Ensign Merritt, of the Salvation Army, and R. H. Swinerton. A. C. Flumerfelt presided.

After mature deliberation the meeting decided to adopt the principle obtaining in other cities of making the funds to be solicited applicable to a dual purpose. The object of this is to enable the committee to aid families not mentioned under the act of incorporation who are, nevertheless, worthy and entitled to receive assistance.

Committees were named to make arrangements for the collection of the funds and to inquire into and determine those differences from the eastern methods of organization which western conditions would necessitate.

Although he was not present E. V. Bodwell, K. C., was added as a member of the general executive.

Illustrating the eagerness of the public to subscribe to this worthy purpose, donations have come in already unsolicited as follows:

Biggerstaffe Wilson	$1,000.00
F. R. Richards	10.00
L. W. Evans	2.00
Mr. Justice McPhillips	100.00
Ernest B. Halsell	50.00
W. H. Langley	100.00
William Blakemore (per week)	1.00

TWO HUNDRED REGISTER.

Germans and Austro-Hungarians Leaving Names at the Detective Office Following Order.

Nearly two hundred Germans and Austro-Hungarians have already registered at the Detective office in pursuance of the order recently issued by Mayor Stewart.

The notice given is to the effect that all persons who are subjects of Germany or Austria-Hungary, who reside or enter the city of Victoria, are required to present themselves to the chief of police at 620 Cormorant street to leave there their names, addresses and descriptions, and give such other information as shall be requested from them.

Those who do not comply with the terms of the order will be proceeded against.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning, at St. Joseph's hospital, of James Matthews, a native of England. The deceased, who was 74 years of age, was born in England, and had lived in the South Saanich district for the past twenty-seven years. He lived for some time in Wiarton, Bruce county, Ont., before coming west. He is survived by his wife, two sons, and three daughters. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 from the Sands Funeral parlors, Rev. Mr. Green officiating. Afterwards the remains will be forwarded to Seattle for cremation.

The funeral of the late Joseph Purcell, whose death occurred on September 9, took place this morning at 9.30 from the Victoria Undertaking parlors, and later from St. Andrew's cathedral, Rev. Father Macdonald officiating. There was a very large attendance, and a great number of handsome floral tributes. The pallbearers were: Messrs. S. Siciliina, W. Corcoran, J. Campbell, P. Coleman, W. Atwood, M. Lawless. The deceased was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and also of the Knights of Columbus, representations from each of which organizations were present.

VISITING BISHOP PLEADS FOR WORKERS

Rt. Rev. James Fielding Sweeney, of Toronto, Defines Church's Adversaries

The Rt. Rev. James Fielding Sweeney, bishop of Toronto, preached to a large congregation at Christ Church cathedral last evening, the text which formed the subject of his eloquent appeal for workers in the church of God being taken from St. Paul's First Epistle to the Corinthians, chapter 16, verse 9: "For a great door and effectual is opened unto me, and there are many adversaries."

This was written, said the bishop, in connection with St. Paul's proposed visit to Ephesus, and two distinct thoughts were in the apostle's mind when he dictated the words: First, the picture of the great door, open, and through which he was anxious to pass; second, the vision of the adversaries waiting beyond to persecute and imprison him.

The references to this door were numerous throughout the epistles. All the missionary efforts of the great apostles to the Gentiles could be likened to the advance through an open door into fresh paths of Christian experience. The epistle in question was written to the church at Corinth, the very centre of that part of Greece where the Olympic games were practised at such great sacrifice by the competitors therein. Luxurious and effeminate as many of the church at Corinth were, they yet understood what the apostle meant when he said: "There are many adversaries."

The great adversaries or hindrances met with by the apostle were: (1) Public opinion, with its hostile atmosphere of criticism and resentment against foreign religion; (2) opposition to the truth; (3) the desire for peace, quiet and orderliness, not to be disturbed by the preaching of the Nazarene.

"It is just as true to-night as it was in that dim and distant past. There are many adversaries of the truth in the church of Jesus Christ to-day. Let us be in deadly earnest in this matter. Let us take our thoughts off these questions of time and space, these problems of war and rumors of war, and turn rather to the contemplation of those things beyond, when Britain and Germany shall be no more, when the Book of Time is sealed forever."

"What are the adversaries of the kingdom of God to-day? They are so interlocked and commingled one with another that it is very difficult to classify. And yet, even if criticized for attempting to do it, I would say that these hindrances are both positive and negative, objective and subjective. The positive hindrance is that of the devil. The negative hindrance is that set up by the indifferent, who have no concern about the kingdom of Jesus Christ; selfish Christians, satisfied to save themselves while countless others go down to the depths. The subjective hindrance is put in the way by men who seek their own happiness and not the things of Jesus Christ. O how it fits this country, these Canadian people. How real, how terribly real, is the hindrance of the vast heathen world entrenched in superstition, idolatry, ignorance, vice and sin. Yet, notwithstanding, all these people know full well that the door will effectually open for the spread of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

"We are wanting men to pass through the open door of opportunity in this great Canada of ours. There are great fields of mission enterprise in India, Japan, Korea and elsewhere, and yet we cannot fill them. Why? We have been looking to the Mother Church in the British Isles which has responded splendidly by sending out men to hold the churches in the far western dioceses of the Dominion. But are we always to look to the Old Land? Are we not going to develop for ourselves a splendid virile race of men who will come forward, seriously, gravely and cheerfully, to pass through the open door of opportunity, offering themselves, a willing sacrifice, on the altar of duty for the dear Lord's sake? Use your prayers, use your ember services, exalt this splendid and noble career of the church of the living God, give yourselves up more wholly to this great warfare for the spiritual welfare of mankind."

In conclusion the distinguished head of the Toronto diocese earnestly urged the people of this diocese to support the bishop of Columbia in his work here. In him they had had a magnificent response to their prayers for an able leader. A man of prayer, of piety, of learning, he held out hands of intercession to God. Would they not stand beside him and support him, the men on the one side, the women on the other, and help him that he might be blessed in his efforts for the extension of God's kingdom?

SHAREHOLDERS WIN BANKERS' TRUST CASE

Mr. Justice Gregory Gives Liquidator Leave to Appeal; Judgment Not Issued

Intimating that his judgment would be against the liquidator, Mr. Justice Gregory referred briefly in supreme court chambers this morning to the Bankers' Trust case. He asked the counsel for the various parties to agree on one alleged contributory whose case might be made the style of cause in the judgment so that the liquidator could take an appeal to the court of appeal at once.

The case before his lordship is an application by J. E. Allen, liquidator of the Bankers' Trust corporation, to add the names of about 100 holders of alleged preference shares in the company as contributories towards paying off the defunct company's liabilities. H. A. Maclean, K. C., argued the liquidator's case, while H. D. Twigg represented certain of the creditors. H. B. Robertson and E. C. Mayer argued the case for the shareholders, who were also represented by E. E. Wootton, Frank Higgins, H. W. R. Moore, W. H. Bullock-Webster, J. Y. Copeman and other solicitors.

Mr. Justice Gregory stated this morning that he had his judgment ready to be delivered, but in order to give the liquidator an opportunity of appealing he asked that the case be made specific as to one certain shareholder instead of general, as otherwise the liquidator would be denied appeal. He stated that the effect of his judgment was that the shares were not regularly issued or allotted. The text of the judgment will not be issued until counsel agree on the case to be appealed.

The point of the opposition to these persons being added as contributories as argued last January and again in April was that no proper action had been taken by the directors or shareholders of the Bankers' Trust corporation to make the shares preference shares as inscribed on the certificates and represented by the salesmen. Other points were taken also.

The 100 contributories whose names it was desired to add would have given the liquidator the right to call upon $330,000 if he had been successful. By losing this case he sees the assets of the company reduced to about $20,000, whereas the liabilities are in the neighborhood of $60,000.

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TO CONSIDER REPORT OF MONTH'S ENERGIES

Victoria and Island Development Association Meets To-morrow; Land Scheme

The provisional council of the Victoria and Island Development association will meet to-morrow afternoon to receive a report from the commissioner and to transact various items of business.

From different causes there has been a falling off of activity in connection with the vacant lots proposal, and it is hoped that the people who require this assistance will give full particulars to the office of the association. So far there have not been sufficient offers of vacant land to enable the association to link up applicants with suitable lots in their own localities, and the scheme shows signs of failing the full measure of its success unless some definite action is taken to encourage the proposal.

In addition to the prizes which are proposed for lots, and which will be recommended to the Development association by its committee to-morrow, there is every prospect that the department of agriculture and the British Columbia Agricultural association will offer prizes in order to encourage husbandry of this character. Also, it is pointed out, cultivators will secure from their lots considerable food material, to sell which they will have an opportunity in the city market which is being re-established.

So far as the assistance which the B. C. Agricultural association is proposing goes, Dr. Tolmie indicates that the best method in which that society could aid the project is by offering awards at the Dominion exhibition next year, specially for vegetables grown on lots controlled by the committee. Under these circumstances Commissioner Cuthbert would be glad to be informed by owners of vacant lots what assistance they can give, so that the applicants can be supplied with the land most suited to their needs. A meeting of the committee will probably be held to-morrow in connection with the scheme.

It is hoped that arrangements will be completed to have the demonstration lots which are to be prepared by the department of agriculture ready as soon as possible. The issue of the promised bulletin on vacant lot gardening is expected at once.

MEETINGS

Hive Review.—Baxter Hive No. 8, I. O. T. M. will hold its regular review in the A. O. U. W. hall to-morrow evening at 7.30.

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Rummage Sale.—The Ladies' Adult Bible class of the Centennial Methodist church will hold a rummage sale in the Scott building, Douglas street, this month.

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Meet This Evening.—The regular meeting of L. O. L. 1610 will be held in the Orange hall, Yates street, this evening. A full attendance of members is requested.

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Civil Engineers.—There will be a meeting of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers on Wednesday next at 8 p.m., in the Broughton street club rooms.

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Marine Engineers to Meet.—The National Association of Marine Engineers will meet in their room, Finch block, Yates street, Monday, September 14, at 8 p. m. Peter Gordon, secretary.

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St. John's W. A.—St. John's branch of the W. A. mission will meet to-morrow at 2.30 in the guild-room, Mason street, when the work for the donation party to be held on October 20 will be continued.

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Esquimalt Friendly Help.—The meeting of the Esquimalt Friendly Help to make preparation for the winter's work will be held to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Soldiers' and Sailors' home, Esquimalt road.

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Meet on Wednesday.—The Women's Alliance of the First Unitarian church will meet on Wednesday next at the home of Mrs. Barton, 1054 Southgate street, at 3 p.m. There is some special business to be transacted and a full attendance is hoped for.

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D. O. K. K. Meeting.—D. O. K. K. Tel. El Mahuta temple, No. 155, Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorrassan, will meet at 8 this evening in the Knights of Pythias hall, North Park street. Business of importance is to be discussed. Every "dokey" will be welcomed.

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Arts and Crafts Club.—There will be a general meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts club to-morrow at 8.30 p.m., at the School of Handicraft, Courtney street. Members are invited to bring samples of craft work, etc., and to make arrangements for taking advantage of the appliances of the school for producing such work.

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Will Establish Society.—The large American colony in Victoria has been without an organization yet, but this defect is to be remedied at a meeting to be held at the Dominion hotel this evening to which all Americans are invited. Officers will be chosen and business arrangements made for the association's management.

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Farewell to Secretary.—To-morrow evening at 6.30 a farewell gathering in honor of Morton L. Bissell, secretary-director of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A., will be held. Mr. Bissell, who has had charge of the department for the past year, has made a wide circle of friends in the city, and in the boys' department of the association he will be particularly missed. The post will be taken by R. E. Crompton, and Mr. Bissell will leave in the course of the next week or so for the east.

D.O.K.K.

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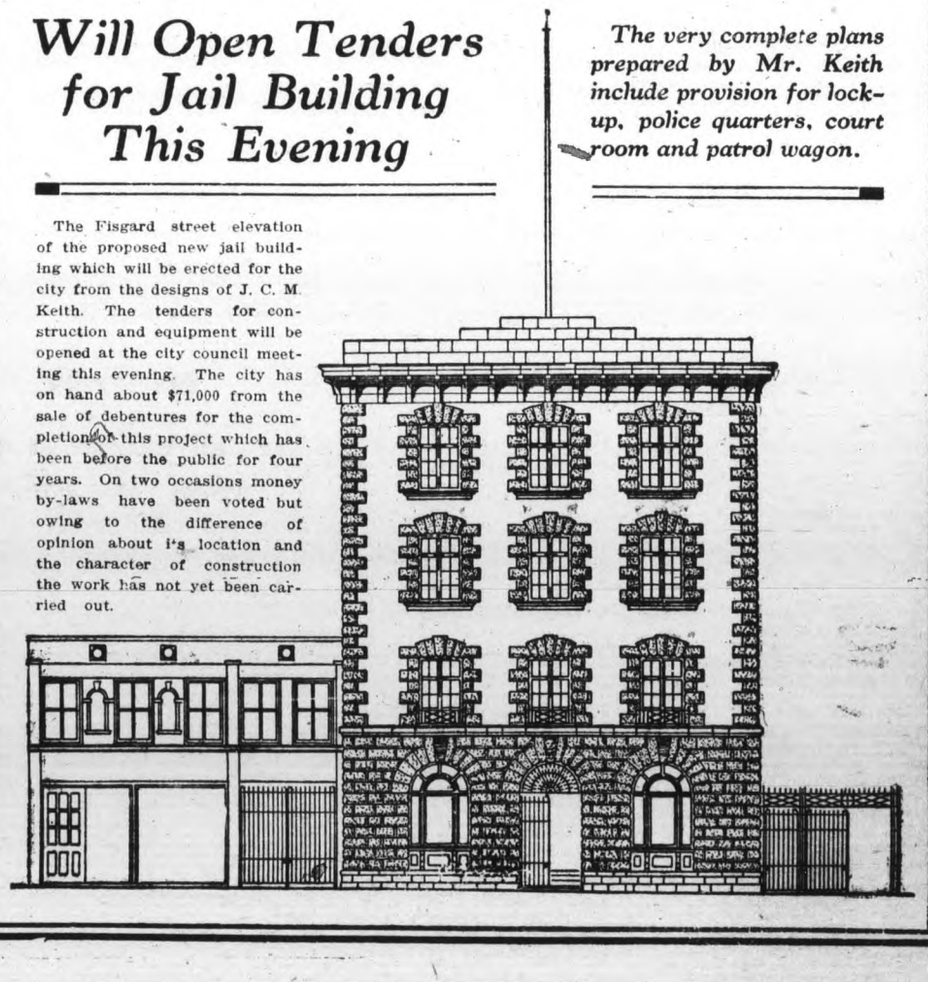
ROMANO THEATRE

Any Seat 10c.

Will Open Tenders for Jail Building This Evening

The very complete plans prepared by Mr. Keith include provision for lock-up, police quarters, court room and patrol wagon.

The Fisgard street elevation of the proposed new jail building which will be erected for the city from the designs of J. C. M. Keith. The tenders for construction and equipment will be opened at the city council meeting this evening. The city has on hand about $71,000 from the sale of debentures for the completion of this project which has been before the public for four years. On two occasions money by-laws have been voted but owing to the difference of opinion about its location and the character of construction the work has not yet been carried out.



Personal

Kenneth McGaffey, in advance of the "Kitty Mackay" company, which is to appear in the Royal Victoria theatre shortly, is in the city to-day in the interests of that company, which he reports to be playing to excellent business across the Dominion. Mr. McGaffey is a cousin of Ernest McGaffey, secretary of the provincial bureau of information, and an old newspaperman. His first impressions of the city are those of every visitor, that it is the most beautiful place to be seen in a tour of the Dominion or the Pacific coast on the other side of the line.

PORTLAND CANAL AND GLACIER BOTH GO UP

Two and Eighth Bid for Portland Glacier Sells at Four Cents

Victoria, Sept. 14.—The local list was active this morning and the trading capacity was of a less limited character.

Portland Canal was quite buoyant, numerous sales being made at .02¼c, following which the stock drew quite general interest, closing at .02½ to .02¾c. Glacier Creek changed hands at .04c.

Now that some activity has been created in shares of this department, enquiry has taken on an altogether better aspect.

Ore showings are reported to be well up to expectations and the Tunnel's scheme of operations is said to be proving the merits of surrounding properties there.

Bids in the oil issues were withdrawn to quite an extent, and there were corresponding cheaper offers of the minor Calgary stocks accordingly.

	Bid	Asked
Blackbird Syndicate	..	.48
B. C. Refining Co.	.30	..
B. C. Copper Co.	..	1.50
Crow's Nest Coal	25.00	55.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	..	.75
Coronation Gold	..	.12
Lucky Jim Zinc	.02	.05
McGillivray Coal	.10	.20
Nugget Gold	..	.20
Portland Tunnels	.02½	.02¾
Rambler Cariboo	..	.25
Red Cliff	..	.10
Standard Lead	1.00	1.70
Snowstorm	...	.30
Slocan Star	.25	..
S. S. Island Creamery	6.00	..
Unlisted.		
American Marconi	..	8.00
Canadian Marconi	..	2.50
Glacier Creek	.03¾	..
Island Investment	..	25.00
Union Club (deb.)	..	40.00
Western Can. F. Mills	..	140.00
Portland Canal Tunnels	..	.25

Sales.

2,000 Portland	.02½
5,000 Portland	.02¾
3,000 Portland	.02¾
800 Glacier	.04

Calgary Oil Stocks.

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Assoc.	..	3.00
Alberta Canadian	..	.04
Alberta Petroleum	..	.09
American Canadian	..	.09
Athabasca	..	1.10
Calgary Petroleum	..	50.00
Herron-Elder	..	.30
Monarch Oil	1.05	2.00
Piedmont	.01	.06
Prudential	..	.50
Trenton	..	.10

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WHEAT PRICES BREAK NINE CENTS IN PIT

Large Lines of Long Wheat Are Thrown on the Market

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Sept. 14.—On absence of foreign demand and of outside buying power the local element were pressing the selling side of all grains. It proved a rampantly bear session. The opening was off and when some heavy lines of long wheat were thrown on the market, the price broke easily. At the finish depreciations of from 8 to 9 cents were shown. There was lack of almost every bull stimulation and regardless of a fair amount of export business at the seaboard, late in the day the downward trend continued.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	106	106	102	102
Dec.	110¼	110¼	104¾	105
May	118¾	118¾	111¾	111¾
Corn—				
Sept.	77¼	77¼	75	75
Dec.	72¾	72¾	70¼	70¼
May	74¼	75	72¼	72¼
Oats—				
Sept.	46¼	47¼	44	44
Dec.	50¾	50¾	46¾	46¾
May	53¾	53¾	51¼	49¾
Pork—				
Sept.	.....	.....	.....	18.00
Dec.	20.27	20.55	20.15	20.15
Lard—				
Sept.	9.15	9.20	9.12	9.15
Dec.	9.82	10.00	9.77	9.77
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	11.40	11.47	11.25	11.25
Dec.	10.67	10.75	10.57	10.57

BODY OF ONE MISSING FROM WISEMAN FOUND

Fairbanks, Alaska, Sept. 14.—Capt. J. J. Donovan, deputy United States marshal of the Iditarod district, who was appointed to search for the bodies of three missing persons who left Wiseman on the Koyokuk river, October 12, 1912, in the launch Seal Pup, along with Tommy Johnson, the "Blueberry Kid," who is the only member of the party known to have reached Dawson, is reported to have found the body of Frank Adams, formerly a resident of Auburn. The body of Adams is said to have been found along the Koyokuk. The insurance of $5,000, taken out by Adams, has been held up pending the recovery of Adams' body.

Capt. Donovan is still searching for the bodies of Marie Schmidt, "Dutch Marie," as she was called, and John Holmberg, known as "John the Fiddler," who together were known to have had about $14,000 when they left Wiseman.

JAPANESE VICE-ADMIRAL GIVEN IMPRISONMENT

Tokio, Sept. 14.—Vice-Admiral Koichi Fujii, accused of bribery in connection with the naval corruption case of last year, has been sentenced to imprisonment for four years and six months.

Fujii was at one time naval attache at Berlin. He was ordered before a court-martial in February of this year.

It was alleged he received illicit commissions for influencing the allotment of admiralty contracts in favor of a German firm.

NOT OFFICIALLY KNOWN

London, Sept. 14.—Premier Asquith told the House of Commons to-day that no official confirmation had reached the ministry of war concerning the repeated stories that German soldiers had abused the Red Cross flag, killed and maimed the wounded and killed women and children.

BRAVERY OF BRITONS RELATED IN REPORT

Field Marshall French Tells of Work Done by Royal Flying Corps

London, Sept. 14.—Further details of Field Marshal Sir John French's report of the fighting from September 4th to 10th were issued by the official press bureau, dated this afternoon, as follows:

"On September 10 a small party under a non-commissioned officer was cut off and surrounded. After a desperate resistance it was decided to go on fighting to the end. Finally the non-commissioned officer and one man only were left, the rest of them being wounded.

"The Germans came up and shouted to them, 'Lay down your arms.' The German commander, however, signalled to them to keep their arms and then asked permisison to shake hands with the wounded non-commissioned officer, who was carried off on his stretcher with his rifle by his side.

"The arrival of the reinforcements and the continued advance have delighted our troops, who are full of zeal and anxious to press on.

"One of the features of the campaign on our side has been the success obtained by the royal flying corps. In regard to the collection of infentry it is impossible either to award too much praise to our aviators for the way they have carried out their duties, or to overestimate the value of the intelligence collected, more particularly during the recent advance.

"In due course certain examples of what has been effected may be specified and the far-reaching nature of the results fully explained, but that time has not arrived.

"That the services of our flying corps, which has really been on trial, are fully appreciated by our allies is shown by the following message from the commander-in-chief of the French armies received September 9 by Field Marshal Lord Kitchener: 'Please express most particularly to Marshal French my thanks for the services rendered on every day by the British flying corps. The precision, exactitude and regularity of the news brought in by its members are evidence of their perfect organization, and also of the perfect training of the pilots and the observers.'

"To give a rough idea of the amount of work carried out it is sufficient to mention that during a period of 20 days up to the 10th of September, a daily average of more than nine reconnaissance flights of over 100 miles each had been maintained."

RUSSIAN ENTHUSIASM DISPLAYED AT OPERA

Official Report Issued on Success Obtained in Fighting in Galicia

London, Sept. 14.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Central News describes a scene of tremendous enthusiasm on the first night of the Imperial grand opera season when a bulletin describing the destruction of the Austrian army between the rivers Bug and Dneister was read in the middle of the performance.

The Russian hymn was sung over and over again and the national anthems and hymns of the allies were sung while the ambassadors and ministers of those countries bowed from their boxes.

Tumultuous demonstrations took place in the streets, the crowds almost fighting to get newspapers.

The Russian minister of commerce and industry has dispatched a commission of engineers to the town of Stryj, Galicia, recently occupied by the Russians, with a view of studying the resources of Petroleum in Austria to meet the shortage of naptha in Russia.

Russian successes in Galicia are continuing. A dispatch from Petrograd is as follows: "This official communication was given out by the general staff to-day: "'It is necessary to turn attention to the theatre of war in Galicia, where the developments of our success continues. Up to the present time we have been prevented from placing a sufficient force in Eastern Prussia to continue the invasion happily begun there. It was for this reason that the army under General Rennenkampff halted along the line from Gerdauen (in East Prussia, forty miles southeast of Konigsberg), to Libau. German troops on September 9 took up a general offensive movement against the army executing advance movements toward our southern frontier. It is difficult on account of the geographical obstruction in this territory to know exactly how many of the enemy were engaged. It was until September 10, when the great attack on the left wing of General Rennenkampff's army was made, that the numerical strength of the enemy was revealed. They were found to be much superior to our forces. It is along this line that the battle now remains.'"

MRS. APPLEBY DEAD.

London, Sept. 14.—Louise Appleby, wife of Colonel Appleby, and a daughter of the late Hon. Sandfield Macdonald, died at Tunbridge Wells on Friday afternoon.

EARTHQUAKE IN PERU.

Lima, Peru, Sept. 14.—The earthquake in the department of Arequipa continues. Yesterday 35 shocks, some violent, were recorded at Caraveli, which was destroyed last week. The tremors continue to-day.

ALLIES' LEFT WING ACROSS THE AISNE

Berlin Becomes Short of News Following Defeats Sustained in France

GENERAL RUZSKY HOLDS HIS FORCE IN GALICIA

Belgians Succeed in Preventing Reinforcements Reaching German Army

London, Sept. 14.—"Incontestible," is the abjective used by General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French forces, in describing the victory of the allies along the western battle front. The latest official communication from Paris indicates that the advance is continuing all along the line with the allies left wing now across the river Aisne. But little news, and that of the vaguest sort, filters through from Germany regarding the operations in the west, though it is evident from the tone of Berlin official statements that the people are being warned not to be too optimistic, as certain reverses may be expected. The latest actual battle news in Berlin describes a sortie from Paris on September 6, which, it is stated, has been repulsed.

Dispatches from many sources, including Vienna, indicates that the Austrian army in Galicia is in sore straits, but the story of its complete destruction is evidently exaggerated, as the latest Russian reports indicate that General Ruzsky's forces still are meeting with organized resistance. It is evident, however, from the disposition of the combatants that the Austrian centre was crumpled up, while the left wing was hurled back into the marshes of the river San. This left wing, composed of the flower of the Austrian troops, may be caught in a trap, making unconditional surrender the only alternative to destruction. The official statement given out in Petrograd says that Gen. Rennenkampff, in East Prussia, is stubbornly retiring before a superior force rather than risk the turning of his left flank by the Germans.

The Belgian mobile force has returned to Antwerp base with the official explanation that it has served its purpose in preventing German reinforcements from joining the army in France. This force operated for four days in the Brussels, Louvain and Malines triangle forcing the Germans to abandon much of that portion of Belgium. In connection with this movement it is reported that the Belgians are cutting German communications. Other sources declare that the Belgians were compelled to return because the Germans were strongly reinforced from Liege. The retirement is said to have been expedited by a threat to burn Brussels.

One of the most interesting rumors coming from Belgium is a report in a Paris newspaper that the German governor of the occupied Belgian territory entered Antwerp under an agreement of safe conduct in a fruitless attempt to come to an agreement with the Belgian government.

Italy is still preserving neutrality, but has joined the triple entente ambassadors in a protest against the revocation of the capitulations by Turkey.

Austria evidently fears hostile action on the part of Italy, according to newspaper reports from Rome, for feverish efforts are being made to fortify Trieste against attack and the coast in that vicinity is being mined.

TO SAVE BRUSSELS FROM FIRE BELGIANS RETIRED

Germans Reinforced After Being Driven Beyond Louvain by Fierce Cavalry Attack.

London, Sept. 14.—An Antwerp dispatch to the Central News, dated Sunday, says that the German force against which the Belgians have been operating has been heavily reinforced, particularly with guns. It is believed the reinforcements came from Liege, where a thousand German marines are reported to have arrived. The Belgian retirement is said to be due to the fear that the Germans would burn Brussels.

The fighting by Belgian forces sent out from Antwerp last Friday lasted four days and nights. There was a heavy engagement along the ruins of Louvain, the Belgians penetrating twice to the centre of the city. Yesterday the Belgians delivered a fierce cavalry attack on the Germans at Louvain.

REINFORCEMENTS SENT BY GERMANY TO MEMEL

Paris, Sept. 14.—A Havas Agency dispatch from Petrograd says that the Germans are sending important reinforcements to the fortress of Memel (the northernmost town of the German empire on the Baltic, 22 miles northeast of Konigsberg), which threatens Tilsit. The Russian imperial council is examining the laws for the administration of conquered Prussian and Austrian territory.

FOREIGNERS MUST HAVE PASSPORTS IN BRITAIN

London, Sept. 14.—Great Britain today put in force the regulation that no foreigners are to be permitted to land in Great Britain without a passport. Hereafter no naturalized American citizen will be granted a passport unless he submits his naturalization papers or unless the state department investigates his naturalization through court records.

GETTING READY FOR SECOND CONTINGENT

Victoria Troops Now in Camp Will Be Prepared for Service When Call Comes

All men who have enlisted for active service or who have come to the city from outside for the purpose of offering their services will have the opportunity, Colonel Roy, D.O.C., states, in connection of the misapprehension that appears to have been caused by the announcement that enlisting was to stop.

The training of the troops now in camp will continue, and when a second contingent from Canada is called for they will have the chance of offering themselves for service at the front. Meanwhile they remain on duty here.

Yesterday passed quietly in camp with all the regiments, and to-day the weekly routine of drill and shooting began again. The Fusiliers attended divine service in St. Paul's church at Esquimalt, and the Highlanders had service at their camp at the Willows with the chaplain, Rev. Dr. Campbell, officiating.

The rifle ranges are constantly in use and every target occupied, and the result is that the shooting of the city corps, always a strong point, is improving by the extra practice which the poorer shots are getting.

Recruiting for the 88th Fusiliers is going on actively and the ranks are filling up well. To-day the home service men are being released, which will leave the regiment an active service one entirely.

Partial demobilization of the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., has taken place. The movable armament detachment has been absorbed into the batteries and attached to the gun crews in the various forts which the regiment is manning. A small proportion of the men who could be spared and who desired to get back to their civil duties have been relieved, but there are still considerably over two hundred members of the regiment on active duty.

A Canadian of French ancestry, Almar Auzias Turenne, is now on his way to the front to fight with the Canadian artillery corps. Mr. Turenne is a son of Raymond Auzias Turenne, a native of Grenoble, France, and now residing in Seattle, where he is president of the Yukon Investment company and vice-president of the Bank for Savings. His mother is a daughter of Hon. Louis Beaubien, of Montreal, a former speaker of the Quebec assembly and commissioner of agriculture in early administrations in that province.

Young Mr. Turenne is well-known here having been a frequent visitor to the city. He is a graduate of the University of Washington and took a prominent part in college athletics while there. He is a crack runner. Four of his cousins in this country are with the colors and five of his cousins in France are in the French army. One of his uncles is General Marie, who is with General Pau's command.

Yesterday afternoon at the Esquimalt dockyard the band of the 88th regiment gave a concert to the officers and men of the regiment. After the concert one of the bandsmen, William Davidson, who was recently married, was presented with a set of carvers. The presentation was made by Captain Rous-Cullin, president of the band.

The Fifth regiment band played yesterday afternoon in Beacon Hill park.

SEMLIN EVACUATED BY AUSTRIANS HURRIEDLY

Nish, via London, Sept. 14.—The following official statement was issued to-day: "On our northern front, after taking Semlin, our troops still continue successfully to pursue the offensive. The hurried departure of the enemy at Semlin can be estimated by the quantity of provisions, equipment, arms and ammunition and other war material found in the town.

"Our troops were received with indescribable enthusiasm in Semlin.

"A continuous artillery duel is taking place on the northern front."

REVOLUTION STORY IS INVENTION OF GERMANY

Washington, Sept. 14.—The British foreign office to-day cabled to the British embassy here an emphatic denial of the report of a revolution in India. The dispatch says: "The story of a revolution in India which has been given out by German legations in certain capitals is a sheer invention. The enthusiasm in India with regard to the war is most striking."

NOTICE

To All Subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary

Notice is hereby given that all persons who are subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary, who reside or enter the City of Victoria, are required forthwith to present themselves to the Chief of Police of the City of Victoria at the Detective Office, situate at No. 620 Cormorant Street, Victoria, B. C., to there leave their names, addresses and descriptions, and make such report and give such other information and follow such directions as shall be required or directed by the Chief of Police.

And further take Notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith, will be proceeded against.

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FALL STYLE SHOW

Wednesday, September 16, 1914

Announcement

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GERMAN WIRELESS HAS REPORTS FROM BERLIN

Officials Say They Cannot Yet Make Public Details of Battle in France

Berlin, Sept. 14.—(By wireless to the Associated Press by way of Sayville, L.I., Sept. 14.)—The headquarters of the German army in Berlin to-day gave out the following official report: "The German crown prince has captured the enemy's fortified position southwest of Verdun and is now bombarding with heavy artillery the outer forts lying to the south.

"A battle is in progress between Paris and the river Marne over a front of 125 kilometres, stretching from Nanteuil, in the west, where the British forces are, to Vitry. The crown prince's army is separated from the main battle by the forest of Argonne.

"The armies of the crown prince of Bavaria and General von Heringen are in formal battle near the upper Moselle."

James W. Gerard, the American ambassador to Germany, has given an interview to the press denying persistent reports that the United States was preparing to join the allies; that Mr. Whitlock, the American minister at Brussels, had attached the mayor of Brussels to his staff; that the American flag had been raised at Ghent; that the Tuckerton incident was unfriendly discrimination against Germany, and that he is advising Americans to hurry away because the United States was going to war.

"General Hindenberg has defeated the Russians, has crossed the Russian frontier, and up to the present time has taken 10,000 prisoners and captured eighty guns and many machine guns and aeroplanes."

Another official report issued to-day says: "The garrison at Antwerp has been repulsed.

"The crown prince's army is now attacking the forts between Verdun and Toul on both sides.

"Prince Joachim arrived to-day in Berlin.

"Last night's official details of the battle to the east of Paris cannot yet be made public. A new battle is in progress which up to the present has been favorable to the Germans. Reports from Paris and London of a German defeat are declared untrue."

SALES DEPOT OPENS

Headquarters of Local Council of Women Ready for Business at 637 Fort Street.

The commendable undertaking of the Local Council of Women reached the first stage of realization this morning with the opening of the new headquarters at 637 Fort street, where Mrs. C. R. Littler and Mrs. Kennedy, assisted by Miss Littler, have been in charge during the day. The store has been rapidly brought into ship-shape, and already a very neat arrangement of the various articles for sale has been effected, and a small display of millinery, useful laundry and shopping-bags, practical pen-wipers, home-made jams and preserves, and other articles, is on view.

The immediate object of the depot is to provide a registry office where those who want workers and those who seek work can get into touch with each other. Many applications have already been received from women anxious to do nursing, laundry work, men's tailoring, dressmaking and plain sewing, and a few hours' daily assistance in the home, and it is hoped that those who have any such occupation which they can provide will send in their names at once to the depot.

The premises, which were very generously lent for the purpose by Mr. Fell, will be open daily. Several articles of furniture have also kindly been donated, and a friend considerately placed a sewing machine at the disposal of the ladies in charge, which will considerably increase the usefulness of the rooms. Those having any useful articles of home manufacture are invited to sell these through the depot, as no charge for such service will be made.

AUSTRIA TAKES TROOPS FROM ITALIAN BORDER

Rome, Sept. 14.—The Giornale d'Italia says that Austria has removed her first line of troops from the Italian frontier, especially from Grenziscutzen. The companies of their Alpine sharpshooters are needed against the Russians, but they have prepared a defensive force consisting of gendarmes and reservists of the Landwehr, besides cutting all the roads with ditches eight feet wide and ten feet deep.

The possible landing of a hostile force at Trieste, which is unfortified, has been provided for by entrenching the mountains overlooking the town and also by blockhouses built around the Gulf of Trieste. The remainder of the coast of Istria and Dalmatia has been mined.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—

First game	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	10	1
Philadelphia	2	8	2

Batteries — Tesreau and Meyers; Tincup and Burns.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington—

First game	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	7	5
Washington	8	11	0

Batteries — Shore, Bedient and Thomas; Johnson, Engel and Ainsmith.

At New York—

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	4	3
New York	1	4	3

Batteries — Shawkey and Lapp; Fisher and Sweeney.

At Cleveland—

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	14	2
Cleveland	4	12	0

Batteries—Coveleskie and McKee; Bishop, Morton, Dillinger and O'Neill, Bassler.

VICTORIA WESTS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Victoria West A. A. will be held in the club rooms this evening. Officers will be elected and other business of importance transacted.

M'KAY TURNS PRO.

Scotty McKay will make his debut as a professional in the ring at Nelson on September 28, when he will meet Dick Marshall. Cyclone Scott was to have met Marshall but he hurt his ribs in training, so McKay will be given a chance to make good in the monied ranks.

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TO AMEND BY-LAW FOR LIQUOR LICENSES

Measure Will Be Introduced at Council Meeting To-night; Open Jail Tenders

Several new by-laws will be introduced to the attention of the aldermen at the city council meeting this evening. One of them, the liquor license by-law, provides for the civic regulations to be brought into conformity with the provincial legislation, some obsolete provisions which were rightly laid down when the administration of the business came within the scope of the municipal act, but which are of no service now that the regulation of licenses is dealt with under other legislation, being eliminated. The by-law will also define it to be the duty of the licensee to make application to the board of license commissioners, the practise in the past having been that the city treasurer has collected the necessary fee half yearly when no objection was lodged by the commissioners. A license system for bartenders is included in the measure.

The moving picture operators' by-law provides for an examination system for operators and their apprentices in local theatres, and is in keeping with civic ordinances throughout the west. The fire chief, the city electrician and a third member chosen by them are to form the examining board.

The examination will include a test of knowledge of electricity, optics and fireproof construction. A general average of 70 per cent. must be made by the applicant. Violation of any of the terms of the by-law will entitle the city council to cancel the license of an operator. No one under eighteen years of age nor anyone addicted to the use of liquor or drugs, or who has not the full use of his limbs will be allowed a license. Provision is made for the issuance of a temporary license at a fee of $2.50 to operators employed by traveling shows for a period not exceeding ten days. The fee for a regular operator is fixed at $5 for the first six months and $1 for each renewal. An apprentice operator's license fee will be $2.50, with no renewal charge. All licenses will be issued on January 15 and July 15.

The provincial government gives municipalities power to regulate moving pictures.

An unusual course is proposed for the paving of Davie street. It is proposed to take advantage of section 9 of the local improvement act, which enables the council by a three-fourths vote of its members to dispense with the necessity of the initiative and petition plans. If the council carries the matter by a three-fourths vote no petition can be lodged by owners. This exceptional course has been brought forward in order to meet the difficulties which would arise from the impossibility of the owners favorable to the work securing the necessary two-thirds of the lot owners to sign a petition. Very rarely does a public body resort to this method of securing the necessary powers.

These by-laws and the opening of tenders for the new jail constitute the principal business for the council tonight.

Under all speech that is good for anything there lies a silence that is better.—Scott

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MUST MAKE CHOICE PAVING OR DAMAGES

Reeve McGregor Tells Gordon Head Residents of Course Necessary If By-law is Lost

Speaking at Gordon Head on Saturday evening in support of the by-laws to be voted upon by Saanich ratepayers on Saturday, Reeve McGregor told the audience that if the paving by-law was beaten it would be necessary for the council to submit a new by-law to enable the council to pay the Warren Construction company the damages which had been set forth in the agreement between the council and that company, and which were to be fixed by arbitration. He told the meeting that the Warren company had offered to release the municipality from the contract entered into by the preceding council if $50,000 was paid. As the council had declined to accept that figure the company was to be paid for cost of machinery.

Recognizing that beyond providing a sum of $70,000 for paving the new Shelbourne street for one-half its width, the by-laws to be submitted offered nothing to the residents of Ward 3, in which the meeting was being held, the speakers from the council confined themselves to showing how necessary the improvements were for the suburban districts. If these improvements were given to the districts near town, it was inevitable that the outlying wards would receive their share of improvement in the logical developments of the future.

The reeve stated that the costs of grading and of paving the roads scheduled in the paving plan would be as follows: Quadra street, $10,000 and $46,000; Saanich road, $33,500 and $174,000; Burnside road, $37,500 and $42,000; Gorge road, $5,250 and $31,000; Douglas street, $2,850 and $25,000; Shelbourne street, $18,000 and $52,200. On the present assessment the paving by-law would mean a rate of 2.45 mills on the dollar and the water supply by-law 1.45 mills on the dollar.

While the cost under the water by-law was to be secured on the credit of the whole municipality, amendment to existing legislation was promised at the next session of the legislature which would call only for those benefitted to be taxed for the service supplied.

Councillors Williams, Borden, Grant, Adams and Chandler attended the meeting. Councillor Williams strongly supported the paving by-law, but gave a guarded endorsement to the water proposal. Quoting figures, he indicated that Ward 7 would receive the maximum of results from the water measure, as $117,000 was to be spent in that ward. Dealing with the paving specifications, he showed that the council had provided for maintenance of the paving by the contractors during a term of years. This was the first time a council had made this provision.

Councillor Adams took up the water question, giving statistics to prove that the scheme would soon be revenue-producing. Councillor Grant as an old resident of the district dealt with some of the special problems of Gordon Head, pointing out the necessity of water for the development of the district. Councillor Borden, who followed and who, with Councillor Grant, is a member of the land development scheme committee, also emphasized the absolute necessity of Saanich having water available for irrigation at a cheap rate.

George F. Watson, who presided, said the residents of the district had waited for years to have a straight road along the valley into town. They need the Shelbourne street extension instead of the present route, which had 26 turns on the journey to town.

There was a good deal of opposition offered by two or three speakers, who kept up a constant fusilade of questions and interpolation of opinions during the progress of the meeting.

To-night the council members speak at Colquitz hall.

DIRECTORY OF SAANICH.

Agricultural and Industrial History of District Told in an Interesting Manner.

A very useful directory of the northern part of the Saanich peninsula has been compiled by Charles St. Barbe, a well-known journalist residing in Sidney, which is certain to prove of great value to the people of that very thriving district and to all having business there.

This is the first attempt that has been made to include an accurate description of the district, one of the most promising in the province, with a full and complete directory of all the residents within the area covered. The latter has been prepared by Mr. St. Barbe from personal inquiry throughout the length and breadth of the peninsula, and in regard to the former he is especially fitted to write of the history and prospects of Saanich.

In the little volume is contained a quantity of information regarding the agricultural and industrial history of the northern part of the peninsula, and many facts that are not generally known. Altogether it is a work which no one who has any interest in this part of Vancouver Island can afford to be without.

SALMON TO BE LABELLED.

Province's Gift to Imperial Government to Be Hastened to Destination by C. P. R.

Each of the tins containing the 1,200,000 pounds of salmon which the British Columbia government is presenting to the people of the British isles will bear a special label reciting the source and the circumstances of the gift. The inscription will be surmounted by the province's coat-of-arms.

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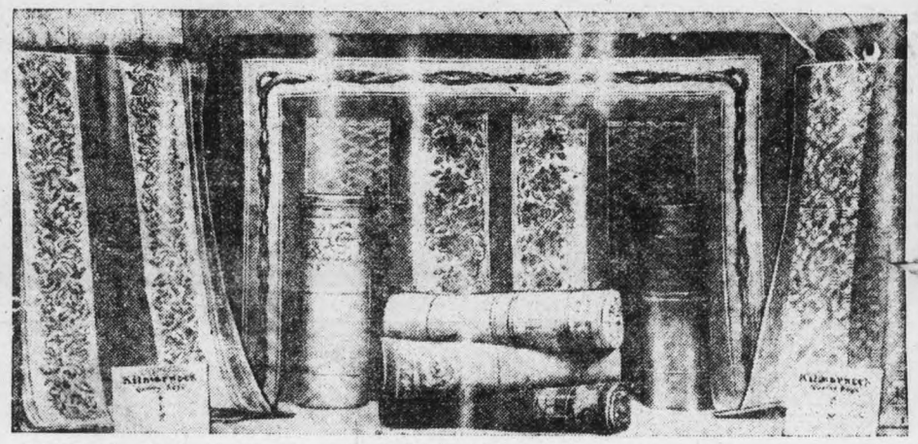

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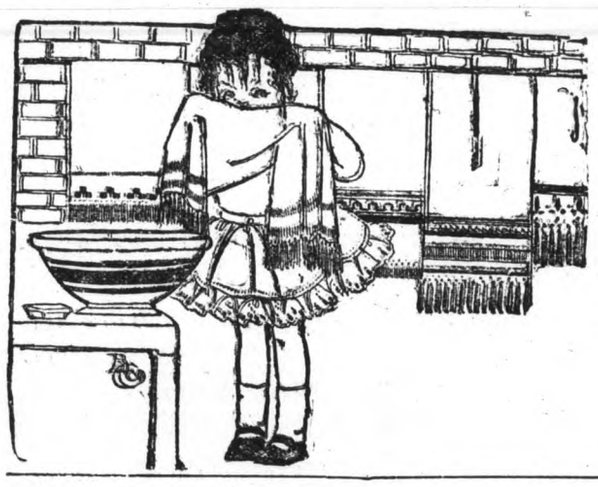

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